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Mr. Sam B. Wolfenbarger

Mr. Wolfenbarger Is Dedicatee

Through the past several years, there has been a person who has been devoted and conscientious in his service to Clifton Forge High School. Many students have been influenced by his instruction and his guidance.

As a student he attended Rye Cove Memorial High School and received his B.A. degree from Emory and Henry College in 1952. He served four years in the United States Navy before returning to Rye Cove as a mathematics teacher. He then did graduate work at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and the University of Virginia. From the latter he was granted a Master of Math Education Degree in 1959.

Shortly thereafter he joined the faculty at Clifton Forge High School as a math instructor. One year later he was named assistant principal, while continuing to teach some classes of math. For the past three years he has served the students and faculty as principal.

Arriving early and remaining late, he is always available when school activities are in progress. He is loyal to his faculty, the school curriculum, and the Mountaineers in all of their events. He has worked most cooperatively with the annual staff this year by allowing more pages in the yearbook, by approving more money-making projects, and by willingly advising the staff.

It is with a sense of gratitude and appreciation for his many contributions as a friend and educator that we dedicate this 1971 edition of the **Alleghanian** to Mr. Sam B. Wolfenbarger.

Above: Darlene Humphries, Senior Class President, presents a gift to Mr. Wolfenbarger. **Above right:** Mr. Wolfenbarger shows school spirit at a pep rally.

Right: Mr. Wolfenbarger shows his friendly attitude by talking informally with an eighth grader, Albert Sledd.

Below: Mr. Wolfenbarger takes time to discuss annual business matters with the editor, Carolyn Hall.

Below right: Mr. Wolfenbarger concentrates on plans he has made for the school year.

Looking Ahead, We Smile

August
31 First Day of School
September
4 First Football Game
7 No School—Labor Day
17 Hi-Y, Tri-Hi-Y Workshop
22 "Who Knows?"
28 No School—Teachers' Meeting

October
7 College Night
16 Report Cards
17 Parent-Teacher Conference Day
24 Shrine Game
30 Homecoming

November
6 Little Brown Jug Game
11 Beta Club Tapping
16 No School—Teachers' In-Service Work Day
26 Thanksgiving Assembly
26 Thanksgiving Holiday Begins
30 Back to School

December
2 Report Cards
4 First Basketball Game
18 Christmas Assembly
18 Christmas Dance
18 Christmas Vacation Begins

January
4 Back to School
4 "Klassroom Kwiz"
11 "Klassroom Kwiz"
13 Assembly—Musical Moments
20 Examinations
21 Examinations
22 Examinations
25 Semester Break
26 Semester Break
27 Report Cards

At What We've Done

February
13 "Saturday Session"
17 Class Rings Arrive
24 Basketball Tournaments
25 Basketball Tournaments
26 Basketball Tournaments

March
4 Regional Tournaments
12 Report Cards
13 Parent-Teacher Conference Day
15 Assembly—Physical Fitness
20 One-Act Play Festival
26 Senior Play
30 First Baseball Game

April
1 First Track Meet
9 Easter Holiday Begins
14 Back to School
17 College Boards
28 Report Cards

May
1 Spring Musical
12 Cheerleading Tryouts
13 Assembly—Popular Science
14 Senior Banquet
16 Band Spring Concert
17 Majorette Tryouts
22 Junior-Senior Prom
26 Monogram Assembly
27 Senior Trip

June
2 Examinations
3 Examinations
4 Examinations
4 Class Night
6 Baccalaureate
7 Graduation
9 Report Cards
9 Scholastic Assembly

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This year has been important for the 450 students at Clifton Forge High School. For the seniors it has been a year of eager waiting for the long sought goal of graduation . . . for the juniors a year of looking forward to the day they will become seniors . . . for the underclassmen a year of hard work in preparation for the high school years lying ahead.

1970-71 has been a wonderful year . . . a progressive year . . . a year of working together and being together . . . a year for much happiness along with some disappointments . . . a year with some surprises in sports . . . a year for some new classes and activities . . . a year with some new privileges . . . a year for some reforms and changes. It has been a year of awakening to new experiences and realities . . . a year for setting more far-reaching and challenging goals . . . a year for looking to the future . . . a year for realizing that——

WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN

We've only just begun to live,
White lace and promises
A kiss for luck and we're on our way.

Before the rising sun we fly,
So many roads to choose
We start out walking and learn to run.

And yes, we've just begun.

Sharing horizons that are new to us,
Watching the signs along the way,
Talking it over just the two of us,
Working together day to day—
Together.

And when the evening comes we smile
So much of life ahead
We'll find a place where there's room to grow.

We've only just begun.

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Music: Roger Nichols

We've Only Just Begun . . .

to live(?)

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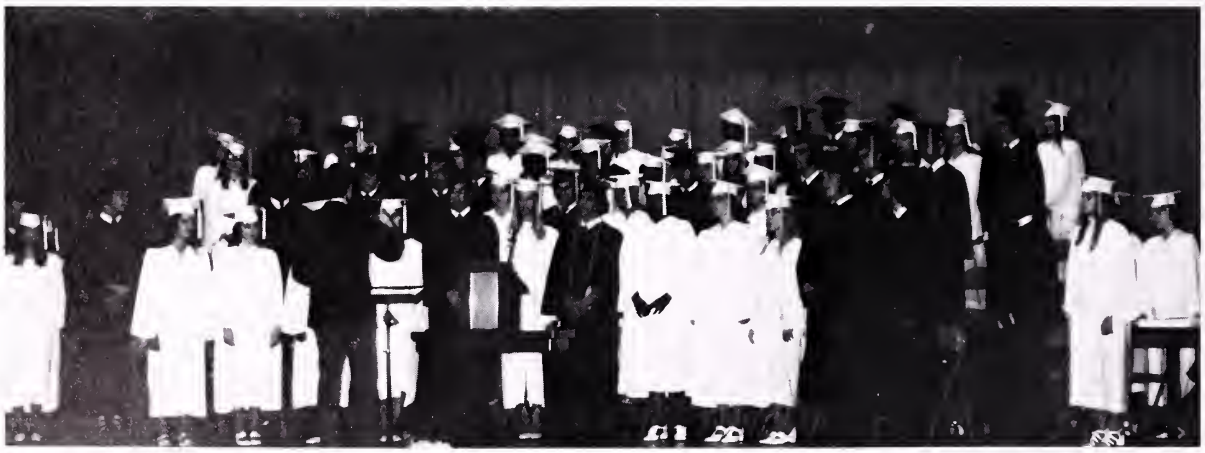
We've only just begun.

. . . *Life.*



Mike Carter's and Mrs. Gantt's voices blend in a duet.

C.F.H.S. Presents Musical—Our First

Through the suggestion of several students and with the approval of Mrs. Gantt, Mr. Bilger, and Miss Anderson, interested and talented members of the student body prepared and presented our school's first musical on Saturday, May 1. A series of murals, painted by the art classes, were used as the background for the various numbers selected from Broadway hits and popular and secular songs. Two dance routines added variety to the program as did the prologue presented by the Concert Band. For those participating and those in the audience, "Encore: A Broadway Revue" will long be remembered.

Above: These men believe "There Is Nothing Like a Dame."

Above right: Pat Nicely changes the tempo as she sings "I'll Walk With God."

Right: Larry Lewis sings one of his several solos.

FACULTY

and DEPARTMENTS

Administrators Direct School Policies

Charles E. Darnell; Superintendent of Schools; University of West Virginia, B.S.; University of Virginia, M.Ed.

Sam B. Wolfenbarger; Principal; Emory and Henry College, B.A.; University of Virginia, Master of Math Education.

Clifton Forge High School students consider themselves very lucky to have a man like Mr. Charles Darnell as superintendent of schools. During the past three years he has performed his duties well, and students and parents alike have always found him fair, honest, and willing to cooperate to improve education in the city schools.

Being principal is a very difficult position for anyone to hold. When the term principal is mentioned, the immediate picture that comes to mind is one in which the person is strong in his beliefs and yet willing to listen to the suggestions of others. This year several reforms have taken place in our school due to the combined cooperation of Mr. Wolfenbarger and the students. Mr. Wolfenbarger stresses the importance of gaining a sound education through scholastic work and through extra-curricular activities. He shows interest in all aspects of school life.

Mr. Darnell and Mr. Wolfenbarger in conjunction with the school board, faculty, and students are working to make C.F.H.S. a better school.

Mr. Strong, Mr. Pederson Help Make Decisions

Seated: Mr. Pederson. Standing: Martha Jo Leech, Debbie Rapp, Susan Stinespring, Linda Waddell, Bobbie Burns, Patty Montgomery.

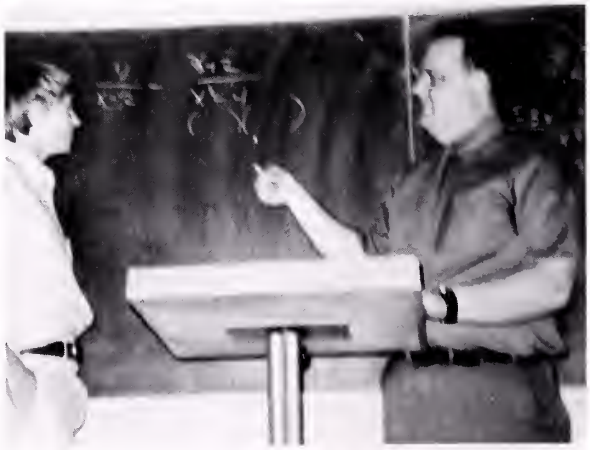
James E. Pederson
Lynchburg College, B.A.; Guidance Director, S.C.A. Sponsor

Edward D. Strong
Bluefield State College, B.S., Radford College, M.S., Assistant Principal, Algebra I, Trig and Advanced Algebra, Athletic Director

The administration's job is made much easier by the competent direction of an assistant principal, guidance director, and faculty.

As assistant principal, Mr. Strong's main duties are concerned with attendance, discipline, and school athletics. He teaches Algebra I and trig and is always available to lend a helping hand when anyone needs him.

Mr. Pederson, new on the staff this year, has done a fine job of aiding the students in making decisions and helping them adjust to high school life. He provides information about colleges and guides them in making choices about their future career. Girls from the business department work in the guidance office one period a day answering the phone, writing letters, and filing.



Faithful Stand-bys Help School to Function

Mrs. Vira Noel
Dunsmore College
Secretary

Mrs. Carolyn B. Dunlap
Mary Washington College
Pan American School
Teachers' Aide
Asst. Secretary

Mrs. Elizabeth Sheets
Madison College
Teachers' Aide

Mrs. Sylverine W. Brown
Howard University
Study Hall

Mrs. Nancy N. Slusser
Aurora College
National Business College
Study Hall

Seated: Mrs. Carolyn Dunlap. **Standing:** Karen Van Lear, Becky Miller, Bonnie Hickman, Donna Mays, Paula Craft, Pam Black, Helen Claire Carter.

Behind every good teacher or administrator is a successful secretary or teachers' aide. This is certainly true at C.F.H.S.

Mrs. Sheets and Mrs. Dunlap aided the teachers immensely this year by doing a great deal of their paper work for them and substituting for classes whenever the need arose.

Mrs. Vira Noel, who keeps the office running so efficiently, had to be temporarily replaced by Mrs. Dunlap because of illness. The secretaries are helped by commercial students, who provide valuable assistance to the office staff.

Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Slusser, who perhaps have the hardest job of all, kept the study halls running smoothly and quietly.

Mrs. Brown supervises study hall.

Languages Broaden Young Minds

Ossie E. Fraley
Clinch Valley College, A.S., Radford College, B.S., Spanish I, II, III, Mountaineer Sponsor, Senior Class Sponsor

Miss Fraley gives individual instruction to Jeanie Woods.

Mrs. Patricia M. Gantt
Mars Hill College, A.A., University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill), B.A., M.A.T., English 10, English 11, Journalism and Dramatics, Sophomore Class Sponsor, Forensics Sponsor, Mountaineer Sponsor, One-act play Sponsor

Mrs. Mary Ellen Griggs
Madison College, B.S., University of Virginia, M.Ed., English 11, English 12, Senior Class Sponsor, Senior play Director, Forensics Sponsor

The Language Department includes English, Spanish, and aspects of speech, drama and journalism. The teachers aid the students in constructing varied and effective sentences and in appreciating the works of famous authors. The study of Spanish enables students to meet language requirements for college at the same time broadening their cultural education. The new course, journalism and drama, has encouraged students to express themselves creatively and to gain confidence in public speaking.

Mrs. Agnes P. Snead
Longwood College, B.S., University of Virginia, M.Ed., English 9, English 10, Freshman Class Sponsor

Mrs. Marilyn M. Woods
Madison College, B.A., English 8, Eighth grade Sponsor, Jr. Tri-Hi-Y Sponsor

Mathematics Teaches Fundamentals of Reasoning

Courses in the Math Department range from general and modern mathematics to algebra, geometry, and trigonometry taught at Clifton Forge High School. The basic fundamentals of math provide a means for the student to acquire practical skills and knowledge needed at the present time; the more advanced courses help prepare the student to meet college entrance requirements and enable him to understand more technical problems.

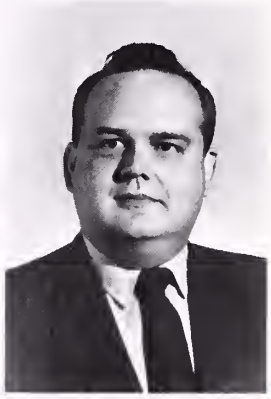
Each teacher in the department is very competent and has sufficient background to meet the needs of his students.

This year, for the first time, the Math Department, in cooperation with the Math Club, sponsored a schoolwide Math Fair which is hoped to become an annual event. Participation in the fair allowed students the opportunity to reach immediate goals for self-satisfaction and to enjoy the competition with their classmates.

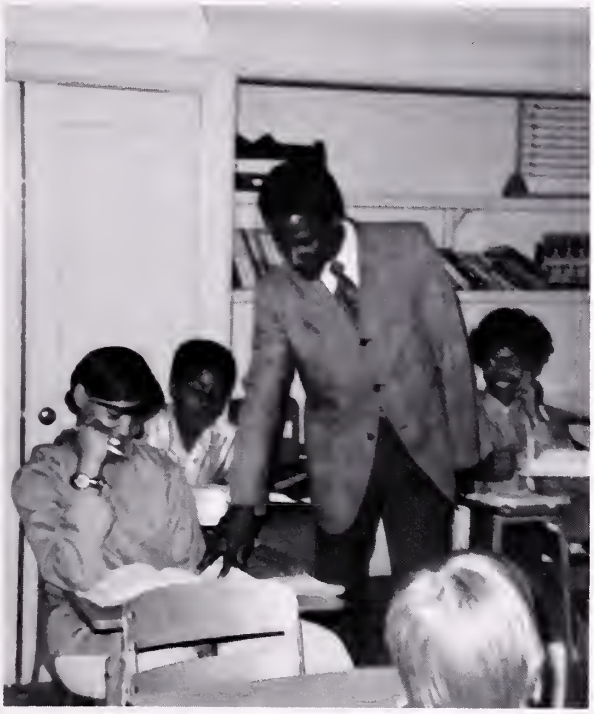
Mrs. Brenda R. Broadwell
Radford College, B.S., Math 8, Algebra II

Robert B. Foust
Shaw University, B.S., Math 8, Math 9, Modern Math, Hi-Y Sponsor, Eighth Grade Sponsor

Mrs. Esther R. Lee
St. Paul's College, B.S., William and Mary College, Algebra I, Geometry, Math Club Sponsor, Sophomore Class Sponsor



Edward D. Strong
Bluefield State College, B.S., Radford College, M.S., Algebra I, Trig and Advanced Algebra, Athletic Director, Assistant Principal



Mr. Foust assists a student with a class assignment.

Science Challenges Students in All Grades

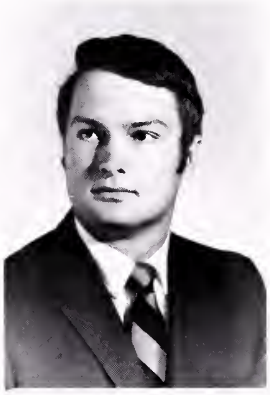
With continual progress over the past few years, Clifton Forge High School can boast of an excellent Science Department. With the addition of more and better equipment, the students can gain practical experience in the laboratory. Each year the Science Department sponsors the Science Fair, which this year included the Math Fair.

This fine department is under the direction of Mr. Ambler Sutherland, who teaches Chemistry. Other members of the department are Miss Lauren Anderson, who teaches Biology and Science 8; Mr. Colby Trammell, who teaches Science 8; and Mr. Steve Moore, who teaches Science 9.

Because of the effort and instruction of our dedicated science teachers, C.F.H.S. students graduate with sufficient knowledge to cope with the problems of the scientific age in which they will be living.

Mr. Trammell lectures to his eighth grade class about nuclear chemistry.

Lauren A. Anderson
Madison College, B.S., Science 8, Biology, Eighth grade Sponsor



Steven W. Moore
Randolph-Macon, B.S., Science 9, J.V. Football Coach

Ambler A. Sutherland
University of Virginia, B.A., V.M.I., B.S., Sociology, Chemistry

Eugene B. Trammell
V.M.I., B.S., Science 8, Football Assistant and J.V. Basketball Coach

Social Studies Prepare Tomorrow's Citizens

Mr. Richmond talks informally to his government students as they take notes.

Mr. and Mrs. VanLear share materials they can use in their history classes.

History, geography, and government are the main aspects of the social studies department. Under the direction of Mrs. Lillian VanLear, Mr. Jack Richmond, Miss Gay McGuire, and Mr. Edward VanLear, students learn of the past, the present, and what to expect in the future. Miss McGuire joined the staff at mid-term to replace Mr. Richmond, who was drafted into the Army.

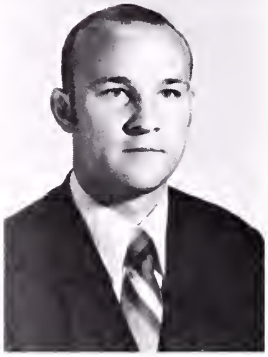
Mock school elections, sponsored by the social studies department, are always interesting and sometimes bring unusual results. The eighth grade students also worked up very informative projects on the history of Clifton Forge.

Edward T. VanLear
Bridgewater College, B.A., Madison College, Social Studies, U.S. History, Hi-Y Club Sponsor, Freshman Class Sponsor

Mrs. Lillian H. VanLear
Radford College, B.S. in Ed., Madison College, World Geography, World History, Junior Class Sponsor, Beta Club Sponsor

Physical Education Required for All Students

James W. Lewter
Frederick College, B.S. in Phys. Ed., Lynchburg College, Physical Education, Drivers' Education, Head Basketball Coach



Edwin W. Scott, Jr.
William and Mary College, B.S. in Ed., University of Virginia, Masters in Phys. Ed., Physical Education, Head Football Coach, Wrestling Coach, Track Coach

The health and physical fitness of the students of Clifton Forge High School is directed by a fine staff in the physical education department. Two new instructors, Miss Barbara Strong and Bill Lewter, bright additions to the department, joined Miss Watts and Coach Scott this year.

There is usually much excitement and pleasure experienced from participation in a variety of active sports by the eighth and ninth graders. The study of health helps build strong minds and bodies. In addition to other activities, classroom driver education and Red Cross First Aid are required on the tenth grade level.

The total course of study for the physical education program prepares students both mentally and physically for a richer life.

Pam Abbott has a driving lesson from Mr. Lewter.

This girls' phys. ed. class enjoys a good game of softball.

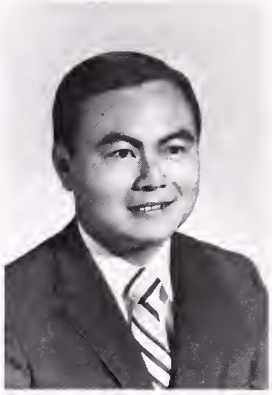
Barbara L. Strong
Bluefield Jr. College, A.S., Radford College, B.S., Physical Education, Varsity Cheerleaders, Sponsor, Varsity Club Sponsor, Girls' Basketball Coach, Girls' Track Coach

Alma Watts
Madison College, B.S., University of Virginia, Physical Education, Drivers' Education

Commercial Students to be Business Leaders

Mrs. Jean W. Clift
Mary Washington College, B.S., Typing I, II, Shorthand II, Office Practice, Senior Class Sponsor, Tri-Hi-Y Sponsor

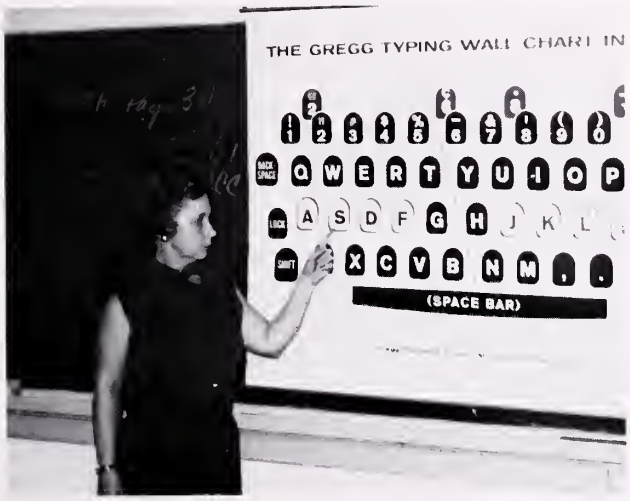
Agnes L. Mansfield
Hampton Institute, B.S., Shorthand I, Bookkeeping 1, Business English, Freshman Class Sponsor, J.V. Cheerleaders Sponsor



Tiong Lip Tan
Concord College, B.S. in Bus. Adm., Appalachian State University, M.A. in Economics, General Business, Business and Consumer Math, Economics, Typing I

The world of business is rapidly expanding. A large variety of commercial courses are offered at Clifton Forge High School to students interested in becoming successful business men and women. Perfection is stressed in such fields as typing, shorthand, bookkeeping, and office practice.

The teachers of this department—Mrs. Clift, Miss Mansfield, and Mr. Tan—are the finest. With personnel such as these teaching and developing the skills of the business leaders of tomorrow, our community, and, indeed, our nation, has promise for a most prosperous future.



Mrs. Clift shows her class the keyboard of a typewriter.

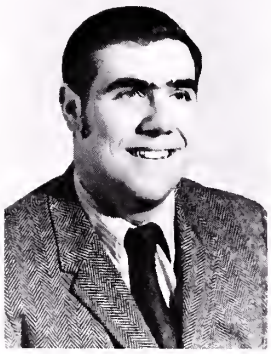
Miss Mansfield and Mr. Tan watch as Debbie Broughman tries out a new machine.

Vocational Training—Vast Help in Future

Mrs. Gretel J. Anderson
Virginia State College, Hampton Institute, B.S., New York University, M.A., Home Economics, F.H.A. Sponsor, Freshman Class Sponsor

Mrs. Gretel Anderson instructed the home-economics classes in which the girls learned the fundamentals of cooking, sewing, and managing a home. In addition, they have become aware of the new concept incorporating consumer education with homemaking. This course, a very practical one, provides instruction that the girls, as "future homemakers," cannot get along without.

Mrs. Anderson instructs Leigh Ann Tucker in the operation of a sewing machine.



Joseph E. Conley
West Virginia Tech, B.S., Industrial Arts 1, 2, Mechanical Drawing 1, 2

Under the direction of Mr. Conley, excellent classes in Industrial Arts and Mechanical Drawing were offered to C.F.H.S. boys interested in a vocational field. The boys gained experience in drawing house plans and working with raw materials. These courses give students a chance to exercise their practical and mechanical abilities useful in the home and on the job.

Students observe as Mr. Conley gives a demonstration.

Arts Offer Means of Self Expression

Mr. Duff, a typical master artist, makes plans for his students' work.

For those students who have a need to express a talent, there are two roads to take. If one is interested in playing an instrument, he may be a member of the band. The other road leads to the art classes, where one may experience many moments of self-satisfaction with paint and brush.

Under the direction of Mr. Bilger, the band had a very successful and eventful year. The calendar included such activities as football half-time shows, parades, a Christmas concert, All-Area concert, a Spring concert, the Dogwood Festival, and, of course, the Apple Blossom Festival. Their many performances demonstrate the abilities and talents of both the students and the instructor.

Many promising new artists were discovered this year as the art classes, under the instruction of Mr. Duff, turned out many fine projects. Using a great variety of skills, the students worked with many different materials to express themselves creatively through their art work. By creating scenery and decorations for school functions, these students prove to be a valuable asset to C.F.H.S.

Larry R. Bilger
Shenandoah Conservatory of Music, B.M. Ed., Band

Charles T. Duff
University of Miami, B.A., Edinburg College of Art, Pratt Institute, M.A., Art 1, 2 and 3, Junior Class Sponsor

Library Provides Resources for Mental Growth

Cyn Brown, Maitland McCoy, Toni Wallace, Lynn Smith, Wanda Hughes, Lana Stinespring, Iris Martin, Debbie Rapp, Vicki Tuke, Mitzi Agee.

Along with their everyday activities of helping Mrs. Morris in the library by cataloging books and maintaining a quiet atmosphere, the Library Club had various other activities. They sponsored a float in the Homecoming parade on October 30. They also observed National Library Week, April 18-24, by putting up posters and decorating halls.

Mrs. Lois B. Morris
Virginia State College,
B.S.
Librarian
Alleghanian sponsor
Library Club sponsor

Cyn Brown, Vice-Pres.; Paula Dobbs, Pres.; Mrs. Morris, sponsor; Joan Shaffer, Sec.; Toni Wallace, Treas.

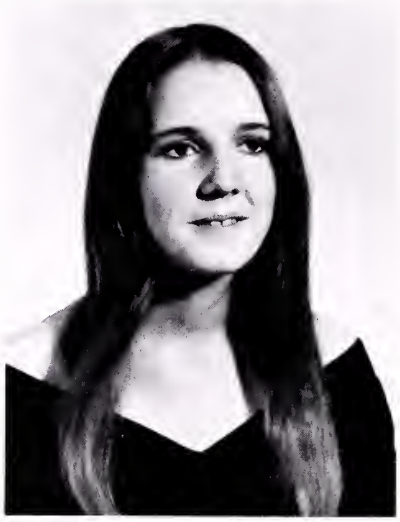
STUDENTS

Class of '71

Darlene Humphries, President; Patty Montgomery, Vice-President; Susan Layne, Secretary; Vicky Heacock, Treasurer.

MARY LYNN AGEE

PAMELA SUE BLACK
Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; President 2.



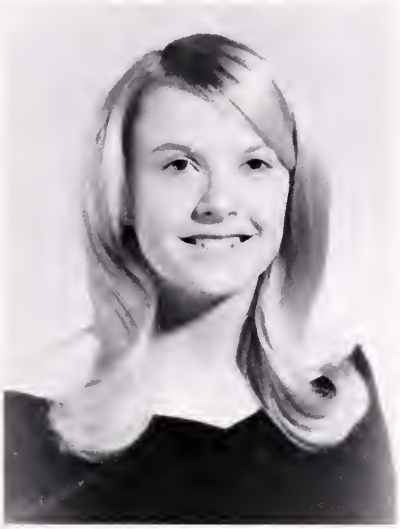
CYNTHIA DENISE BROWN
Girls' Basketball 2, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, V. Pres. 4; F.H.A. 1; Homecoming Queen; Varsity Club 4.

BRENDA JANE BRYAN

"We've Only Just Begun To Live"

BRUCE CURTIS BURKS
Industrial Arts Club 1; Class Treasurer 1; Hi-Y 4; Senior Class Play.

RACHEL DOROTHY BURKS
F.H.A. 8, 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 2.



MARY COLLEEN CALHOUN
Beta Club 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Treas. 4; Alleghanian 2; Mountaineer 3, 4, Press Ed. 4; Library Club 1, 2; F.H.A. 1; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; Senior Class Play.

HELEN CLAIRE CARTER
Beta Club 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Alleghanian 2, 3, 4; Class V. Pres. 1; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; S.C.A. 3, 4; J.C.L. 1, 2; J.V. Cheerleader 8, 1, Head 1; Var. Cheerleader 2, 3, 4, Head 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; N.C.A. 2, 3, 4; Senior Class Play.

STEPHEN ALLEN CARTER
Football 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 8, 1, 2; Track 2; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Mountaineer 3, 4, Sports Ed. 3, Editor 4; K.V.G. 4; S.C.A. 8, 3, 4; Football captain 4; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Boys' State 3.

RICHARD FREEMAN CAUDILL
Football 8; Baseball 1; K.V.G. 4; Industrial Arts Club 3.

Seniors Look Toward June

PAUL RUSSELL CLARK
Basketball 8, 1; Track 1; Wrestling 8; Science Club 1; K.V.G. 1, 2, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 8.

CYNTHIA KAY COFFMAN
Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Mountaineer 1, 2, 3, 4, Head Typist 4; F.H.A. 8; Class Treas. 8; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; S.C.A. 8, 1, 2, 3, Treas. 1, 2, 3; J.C.L. 1; Homecoming Attendant 8, 1, 2.

ELUGH CRAWFORD

STEVEN DALE CRUTCHFIELD
Football 8, 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Basketball 8, 1; Track 1, 2; Baseball 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Sgt.-at-arms 4; Key Club 1, 2; K.V.G. 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 8, 1, 2; Class Pres. 1; S.C.A. 8, 1, 2, 3; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4.

DAVID LAWRENCE DEISHER
Basketball 8, 1, 3; Track 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; K.V.G. 1, 2, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3.

PAULA VIOLETTE DOBBS
Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Pres. 4; Alleghanian 3; Mountaineer 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 2, 3, 4; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 2; S.C.A. 4; Chorus 8.

And Graduation Activities

HARVEY HOWARD DREWRY
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, V. Pres. 3; S.C.A. 4; M.G.A. 2, 3.

RACHEL LORINE DRUMHELLER
Girls' Track 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3; Mountaineer 3, 4; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 1, 2, Treas. 3; F.H.A. 8; S.C.A. 8, 4; Band 3, 4, Majorette 3, 4; J.V. Cheerleader 8; Varsity Club 3, 4.

HENRI MEL EMURIAN
J.C.L. 1, 2.

PATRICIA CARLYLE EUBANK
Tri-Hi-Y 4; Mountaineer 3, 4, Circulation Mgr. 3; Math Club 3; J.C.L. 1, 2; Chorus 8.

MICHAEL THOMAS FARRAR
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 8; Track 2; Wrestling 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4.

TIMOTHY DAVID FIELDS
Senior Class Play; Basketball 8, 1, 2, 3, 4*; Band 8*; Hi-Y 4; Beta Club 4.

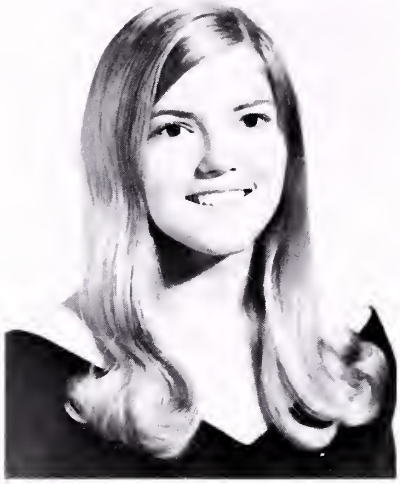
"We're On Our Way . . . Sharing

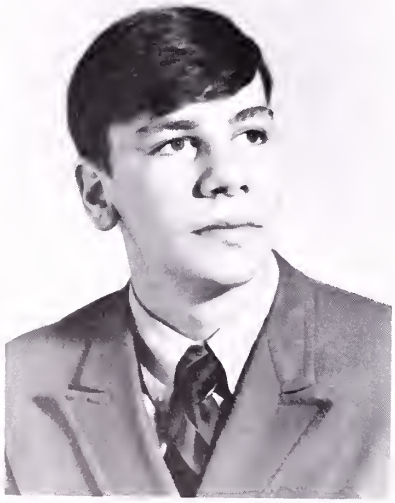
DOUGLAS HOWARD FINESTONE
Football 8, 1, 2; Basketball 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4, Chaplain 4; J.C.L. 1; Mountaineer 4; Band 8, 1; S.C.A. 4, President 4; One-act Play 4; Senior Play 4; Varsity Club 4; D.A.R. History Award; National Merit Letter of Commendation; Salutatorian; Most Likely To Succeed.

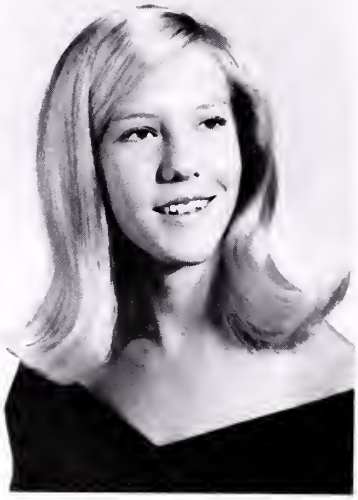
RICARDO CORTEZ HAILES
Soccer 2, 3*; Track 1*, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3*; S.C.A. 3*; Math Club 4, Secretary 4; Senior Play 4.

CAROLYN BARTON HALL
J.C.L. 1, 2; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, Treasurer 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, V. Pres. 4; Beta Club 3, 4; J.V. Cheerleader 1; Chorus 8, President 8; S.C.A. 3, 4; Alleghanian 2, 3, 4, Copy Editor 3, Editor 4; One Act Plays 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; School Accompanist 3; Latin Tournament 1; M.G.A. Delegate 3; M.G.A. State Staff Assistant 4; Most Talented.

STEPHEN HENRY HARTSOOK
Football 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; K.V.G. 4; Varsity Club 3, 4.







GARY STEVEN HAYNES
Basketball 8; Track 2; Wrestling 1, 2, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4, President 4; K.V.G. 3, 4; J.C.L. 1, 2, Secretary 1, V. Pres. 2; Band 8, 1, 2; Senior Play 4.

VICTORIA LYNN HEACOCK
Beta Club 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, Chaplain 2; J.C.L. 1, 2, President 2; Class Treasurer 4; Alleghanian 3; Mountaineer 4; S.C.A. 2; Latin Tournament 1; Valedictorian; Most Likely To Succeed.

Horizons That Are New To Us"

GREGORY CAMM HUFFMAN
Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; K.V.G. 4; Industrial Arts Club 3.

DEBORAH JEAN HUGHES
Girls' Basketball 8; Girls' Track 2, 4; F.H.A. 8, 1; Varsity Club 4.

WANDA LORRAINE HUGHES
Library Club 8, 1, 2; F.H.A. 8, 1, 2.

SANDRA LEE HUGHSON
Girls' Basketball 8, 1, 3; F.H.A. 8, 3.

REGINA DARLENE HUMPHRIES
Girls' Basketball Manager 8, 1; Mountaineer 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 8; Class President 3, 4; Band 8, 1, 2, 3, 4, Majorette 2, 3, 4; S.C.A. 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Maid of Honor 3.

SHERRY LOU JACKSON
Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3*; Pep Club 2, 3*.

By "Working Together," Class

TERRY SUE JACKSON
Y-Teens 8*; Girls' Athletic Association 2, 3*; Pep Club 2, 3*; Maid of Honor 3*.

DANNY RAY JENKINS
Hi-Y 4; K.V.G. 4; Industrial Arts Club 8; S.C.A. 1; Band 8.

JOSEPH APPLETON JOHNSON, II
Basketball 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4; K.V.G. 4; Hi-Y 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Track 1; Most Talented.

BRENDA SUE KERN
F.H.A. 1, 2, Treasurer 1.

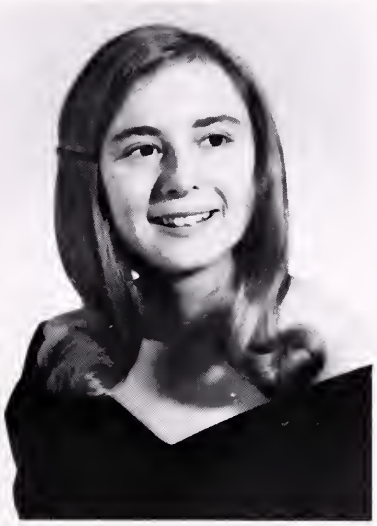
HESTER DIANE KIMBERLIN
Beta Club 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Chaplain 4; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, President 2; Science Club 2, Secretary 2; Mountaineer 2, 3, 4, Ass't Editor 3, Bus. Mgr. 4; Class Secretary 2, 3; S.C.A. 8, 1, 2, 3, 4, V. Pres. 3; Band 8, 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 2, Pres. 4; One Act Play 4; Senior Play 4; Arion Award 4; DAR Good Citizen Award 4; Best All-Around.

SUSAN ANN LAYNE
Girls' Basketball 2, 4; Beta Club 3, 4, Secretary 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; Class Secretary 4; S.C.A. 2, 4; J.C.L. 1, 2; Girls' Track 2; Mountaineer 4.

Presents "Off the Track"

MARTHA JO LEECH
Beta Club 3, 4; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Library Club 8, V. Pres. 8; J.C.L. 1, 2; Mountaineer 1, 2, 3, 4; J.V. Cheerleader 1; One Act Play 2, 4; Forensics 4; Senior Class Play 4.

LOUISE DIANE LEWIS
Girls' Basketball 8, 1; F.H.A. 8.



MARY ROBERTS MARTIN
Girls' Track 1, 2; Science Club 1.

DONNA LEE MAYS
Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Mountaineer 3, 4; S.C.A. 1, 3; J.C.L. 1; J.V. Cheerleader 1; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4, Asst. Head 3; N.C.A. 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Forensics 3; Senior Class Play 4.

VIRGINIA LYNN McDANIEL
Girls' Athletic Association*

RITA GAIL McGAHA

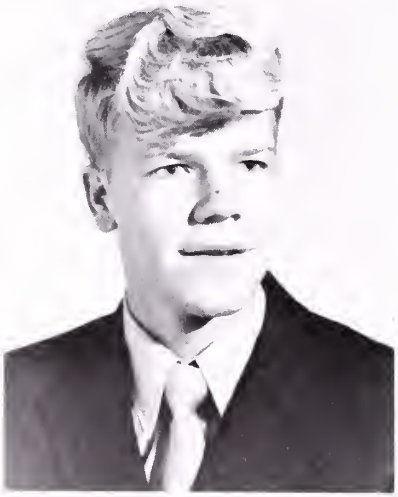
Seniors — "Sharing . . . Watching . . .

ROBERY PAUL MYER, JR.
Football 1*; Track 1, 2*; Chorus 8, 1, 2, 3*; Chorus Musical*; Spring School Play, Crew*; Cross Country Team*; One Act Play 4.

PATRICIA KAY MONTGOMERY
Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, V. Pres. 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4, President 4; Class Treasurer 2, 3; Class V. Pres. 4; S.C.A. 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; J.C.L. 1, 2; Chorus 8; Girls' State 3; M.G.A. Delegate 4.

JANE ELIZABETH MORGAN
Girls' Track 1; Beta Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Band 8, 1; Mountaineer 3, 4; Senior Class Play 4; Most School Spirited.

DONNA KATE MYERS
Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Beta Club 3, 4, V. Pres. 4; Alleghanian 2, 3; Mountaineer 4, Asst. Editor 4; Class President 2; S.C.A. 1, 2, 4; Band 8; J.C.L. 1, 2, Secretary 2; Homecoming Attendant 8; One Act Play 2, 4; Senior Class Play 4.



KENNETH RAY MYERS, JR.
Basketball 8, 1, 2, 3; Beta Club 3, 4; J.C.L. 1, 2; Varsity Club 3; Hi-Y 4.

CELA LEE NICELY
F.H.A. 8; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, Recording Secretary 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4, Secretary 4; J.C.L. 1, 2; Alleghanian 2, 3, 4, Asst. Bus. Mgr. 3, Bus. Mgr. 4; School Accompanist 3; Senior Class Play 4.

Working . . . Talking . . . Smiling"

DEBRA NEAL PETERS
Beta Club 3, 4.

SHERRY ROMAINE PETERS
F.H.A. 8, 1; Future Homemaker of Tomorrow.

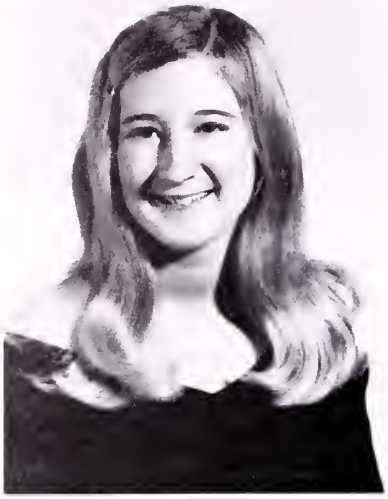
CYNTHIA POWELL ROBINSON
Mountaineer 1; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 1; F.H.A. 8, 2; Band 8, 2, 3, Color guard 8, 2, 3.

MILTON BALLARD SCOTT

MARY CAROL SINAR
Girls' Track 1, 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Class V. Pres. 2; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; S.C.A. 1, 2; Band 8, 1, 2, 3, 4, Majorette 2, V. Pres. 3, 4, Drum Majorette 3, 4; Chorus 2; Girls' State 3; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Play; Most Athletic.

DANNY RAY STINESPRING
Wrestling 2; K.V.G. 8, 1, 2, 3, 4; Industrial Arts Club 8, 1, 2, 3.

Class Hopes for Genuine



SUSAN LYNN STINESPRING
Beta Club 3, 4, Treas. 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Alleghanian 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 8; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; J.C.L. 1, 2; J.V. Cheerleader 1, Asst. Head 1; Var. Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; N.C.A. 2, 3, 4; Senior Class Play.

ELLEN EMILY THOMPSON
F.H.A. 8, 1, 2, Pres. 2; S.C.A. 2.

JEAN PAIGE TUCKER
Beta Club 3, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Alleghanian 2, 3, 4, Copy Ed. 4; Jr. Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, Sec. 2; S.C.A. 8; J.C.L. 1, 2; One-Act Plays 2, 4; Senior Class Play.

CAROLE PERSINGER UNROE

SHIRLEY ELIZABETH VANNESS

BRENDA ANTOINETTE WALLACE
Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Track 8, 1, 2, 3; Library Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 1; F.H.A. 8, 1; Varsity Club 3, 4.

Peace and Love for Mankind

GENELDA BEATRICE WALLACE
F.H.A. 8, 1.

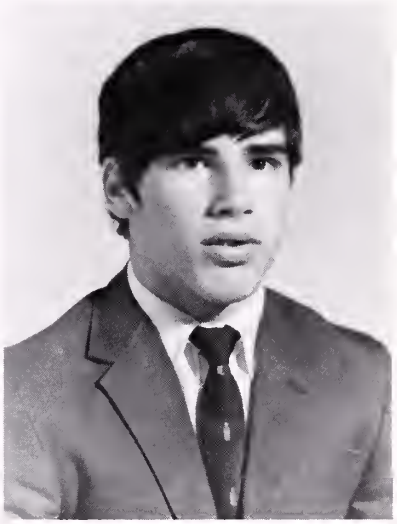
WAYNE WALLACE

MALCOLM WATTS

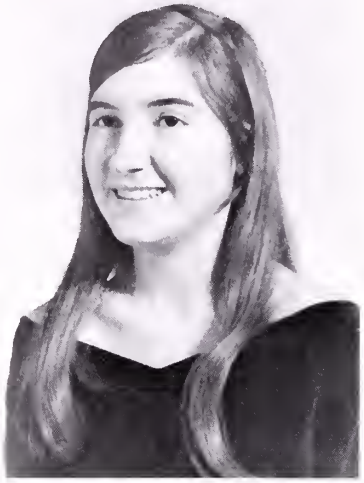
LARRY WHITE

RODNEY JAMES WILCHER
K.V.G. 4.

BRUCE WOOD



Seniors Prepare for Role As Tomorrow's Leaders



SYLVIA JEANETTE WOODS
Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Science Club 2; Mountaineer 3, 4, Head Artist 4.

Disc jockey Paul Clark provides music on "Saturday Session."

Time out to catch up on the latest gossip.

Now, guys, is the food really that bad??

Class of '72

CLASS OFFICERS:

Secretary — Charlyn Adlis
Vice-president — Nancy Rankin
Treasurer — Kathy Gochenour
President — Elaine Adams

Elaine Adams
Charlyn Adlis
Steve Albright
Steve Backels

Marjorie Bagby
Gary Barber
Janice Booze
Gary Bowen

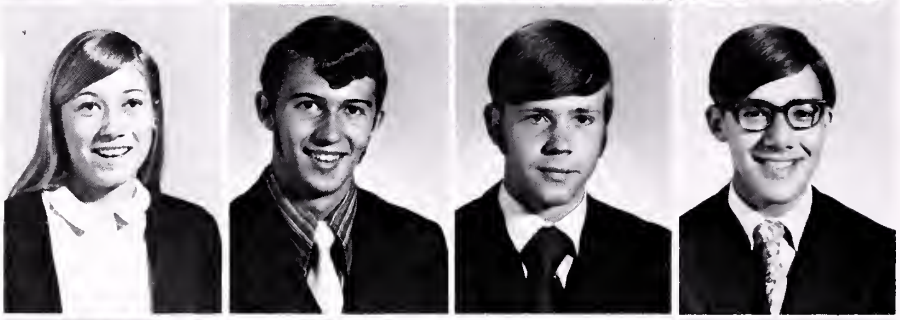
David Bradley
Terry Bruffey
Kathryn Burks
Bobbi Burns

Juniors Anticipate Class Rings,

Debbie Campbell
Ed Campbell
Susan Carpenter
Kippy Carter

Steve Chenault
Tommy Clapsaddle
Donna Coffman
Christie Conner

Paula Craft
Mickey Duff
Jay Easter
Ronnie Foster



Kathy Gochenour
Vicki Goodbar
Gary Hall
Bill Hardbarger

Debbie Harth
Benay Hatcher
Timmy Heacock
Laura Hearne

Prom, and Fun-filled Year

Bonnie Hickman
Lynn Jeffries
Debbie Jo Jenkins
Guy Johnson

Betty Kibler
Larry Lewis
Evelyn Maddox
Iris Martin

Maitland McCoy
Becky Miller
Darlene Morehead
Debra Nicely

Pat Nicely
Cathy O'Brien
Mary O'Brien
Cynthia Pannell

Beverley Persinger
Becky Peters
Linda Powell
David Ralston

Class Prepares for Senior Year

Nancy Rankin
Debbie Rapp
Bobby Ratliff
Earl Roles

Ellen Ryan
Ellen Sanders
Jimmy Saunders
Joan Shaffer

Joan Sheets
Nate Sledd
Debbie Spence
Betty Jo Spinner

Betty Terry
Gloria Thomas
Karen Van Lear
Linda Waddell

Margaret Warren
Towana Washington
Bill Wilcher
Chip Woodyard

Class of '73

CLASS OFFICERS:

Vice-president — Tommy Keller
President — Gary Hutchison
Secretary — Janice Stinnett
Treasurer — Donna Conner

Pam Abbott
Jerome Allen
Diane Back
Robert Berry
Barry Brooks

Oretha Brown
William Brown
Jeannie Burger
Natalie Callender
Sandra Callender

Angela Campbell
Mac Campbell
Gene Carter
Mike Carter
Roger Caudill

Sophomores Create

Joan Chaplin
Robert Colvin
Donna Conner
Tuck Crabill
Brenda Deaton

Debbie Deeds
Kappy Deisher
Bobbie Detwiler
Pat Dowdy
Peter Fields

Sally Finestone
Stanley Goode
Greg Hall
Gregg Haynes
Dreama Hickenbotham

Diane Hunter
Gary Hutchison
Iris Hyler
Marc Jordan
Thomas Keller

Tyrone Lewis
C. W. Linkswiler
Kristi Lutz
Lenora Mason
Janet McMillion

"Mountie Magic"

Angela Megginson
Linda Neal
Mike Nicely
Paula Nicely
Thomas O'Meara

Winky Paxton
Barbara Pendleton
John Perdue
Purial Pettis
Coe Pullen

Randy Riddle
Sue Roalf
Betty Robertson
Thomas Sampson
David Scruggs

Monte Scruggs
Landon Simpson
Sherrie Simpson
Doug Singleton
Albert Snead

James Stephens
Janice Stinnett
James Thomas
Darlene Underwood
Gina Wade

Class Looks Ahead

Brenda Walker
Dusty Walker
Kaye Whitmer
Mike Wilcher
Dick Woods

David Wright

Gregg Haynes and Dusty Walker lend a hand in decorating for Homecoming.

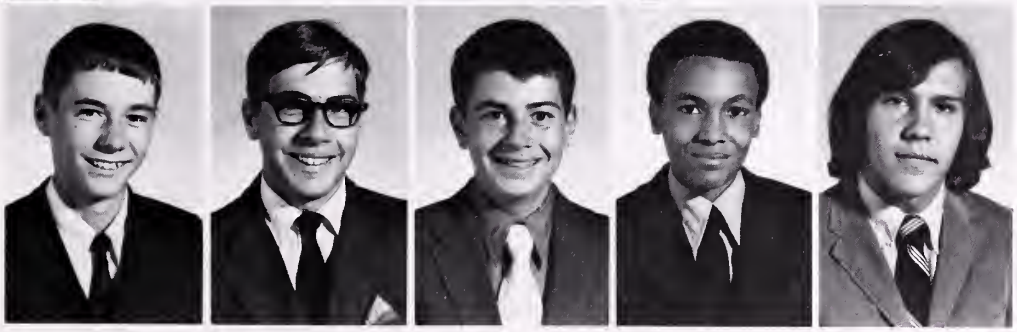
Class of '74

CLASS OFFICERS:

President — Gilbert Davis
Vice-president — Sylvia Cooper
Secretary — Kevin Davis
Treasurer — Eddie Pullen

Sharon Abbott
David Albright
Cindy Anderson
Katherine Bagby
Mac Beard

William Bocook
Sandra Brown
Susie Brown
June Burks
Bonny Burnside

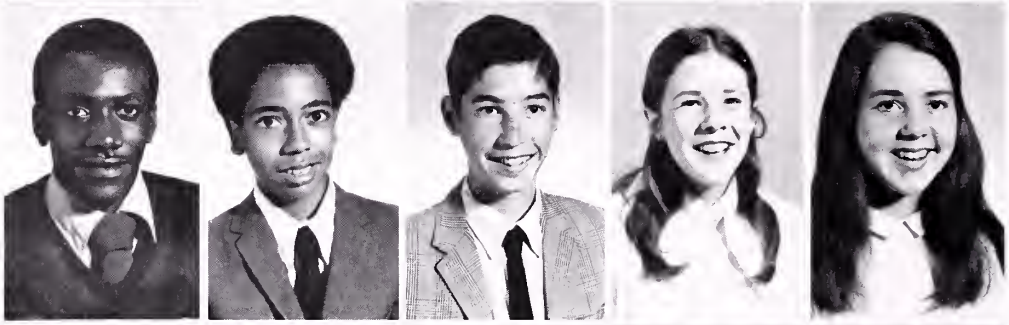


John Bursey
Butch Campbell
Steve Chittum
Fred Clark
Mike Clark

Enthusiastic Freshmen Boost

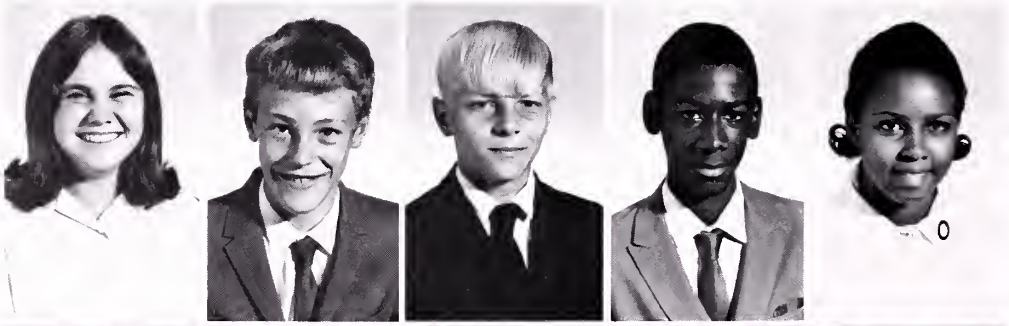
Danny Coffman
Sylvia Cooper
Linnie Crance
Steve Crowder
Charles Darnell

Gilbert Davis
Kevin Davis
David Deaton
Karen Dunlap
June Easter



Cindy Faidley
Beverly Estes
Betty Fitch
Betty Fridley
Sheila Gallion

Becky Gibson
Steve Gibson
Jeff Gilbert
Wayne Hailes
Kim Hamilton



Grady Haynes
Buster Hayslett
Jimmy Hogg
Ronnie Irvine
David Jeffries

Pep and School Spirit

Robert Jenkins
Sheila Kay
Donna Kimberlin
Robin King
Nancy Lee

Denise Marshall
Kim Mays
Mark Mays
Vickie Mays
Bobby McGuire

Greg Megginson
Barbara Miller
Janet Miller
Chappy Morris
Clay Morris

Mark Pearson
Mark Nichols
Glenn Perry
Paul Pettis
Eddie Pullen

Linda Reaves
Mickie Riddle
John Roles
Vickie Rucker
Gary Scruggs

Class Becomes Accustomed

David Shores
Mike Simmons
Gwen Sledd
Connie Sloan
Hezekiah Spinner

Becky Stone
Tommy Stone
Cheryl Taylor
Robby Taylor
Elfa Thompson

Samuel Thompson
Billy Tolley
Georgina Tolliver
Sally Jo Tucker
LaRay Tyler

Debbie Tyree
Frank Tyree
Diane Unroe
Barry Unroe
Jon Valenzuela

Mark Valenzuela
Carol Van Lear
Anita Walker
Karen Wallace
Leonard Wallace

to C.F.H.S. Activities

Romania Wallace
Sue Webster
Wanda Whetzel
Kathy Whitmer
Teri Woodyard

These four freshmen look forward to the day when they might help make a contribution to the trophy case.

Below: David Deaton pauses for a drink of water during lunch.

Class of '75

CLASS OFFICERS:

President — Greg Via
Vice-president — Dana Myers
Secretary — Jimmy Leech
Treasurer — Tommy Slusser

Andy Agee
Rebecca Agee
Attel Allen
Donald Alston
Charles Anderson

Kris Backels
Steve Booze
Bonnie Bowen
Ruth Bridgers
Wanda Broady

"Perplexity" Describes New Eighth Graders

Betty Broughman
Pam Brown
Sara Burger
Connie Calhoun
Cathy Campbell

Virginia Campbell
Trina Clapsaddle
Carlton Cooper
Evelyn Cooper
Sylvia Cooper

Mary Dellinger
Angelia Donovan
Robin Downey
Thomas Drumheller
Dennis Duff

Gail Duncan
Holly Dunford
Bob Dunlap
Dana Dwier
BoAnn Fields

Sharon Greene
Susan Hayslett
Forest Heacock
Lynda Helmintoller
Sandra Hickenbotham

Students Become Affiliated With High School

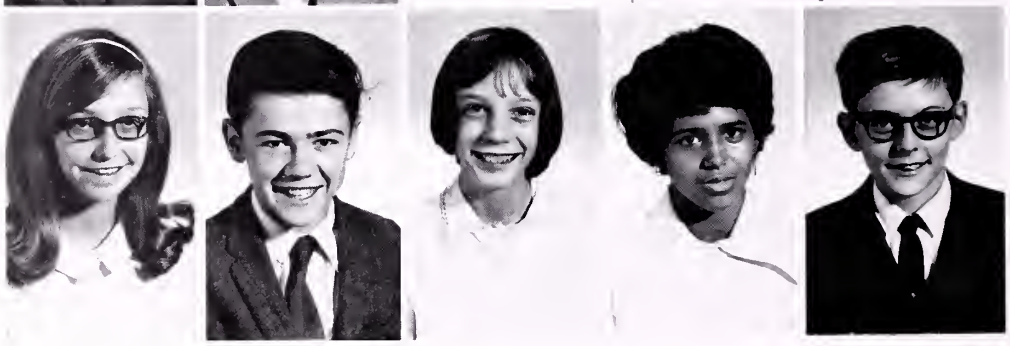
Ronnie Higgins
Althea Howard
Gerald Hughson
Kevin Huguley
James Hundley

Norvella Hunter
Joe Johnson
Mercer Johnson
Paulette Johnson
Tony Kelly

Donnie Kimberlin
Mauri King
Patricia Knicely
Teresa Knick
Telah Lacey

Jimmy Leech
Mark Leisure
Shebra Lewis
Mary B. Linkenhoker
Becky Linkswiler

Marilynne Mahaney
Steve McClung
Laura McDaniel
Rhonda Melton
Gerald Morehead



and Adjust to New Surroundings

Dana Myers
Sammy Nicastro
Donna Nicely
Kevin Nicely
Mark Nicely

P. G. Nuckols
Porky Paxton
Littleton Pendleton
Vernon Pendleton
Beth Peters

Paul Pettis
Guy Pullen
Billy Roalf
Judy Roberts
Walter Robinson

Rosalind Roland
Stephen Saum
Pam Sayers
Neil Schmaeman
Rhett Schmaeman

Johnny Scruggs
Linda Simmons
Bobby Simpson
Albert Sledd
Tommy Slusser

Class Anticipates High School Career

Lynn Smith
Alisa Spinner
Lana Stinespring
Ellen Taylor
Leonard Tinsley

Leigh Ann Tucker
Vickie Tuke
Robert VanBeek
Becky VanNess
Greg Via

Monica Wallace
Melanie White
Sheree Wilcher
Alan Wills
John Wood

Marilyn Worth
Joe Wright

Eighth grade boys appear to feel at home at C.F.H.S.

SPORTS

First row: Steve Carter, Nate Sledd, Steve Hartsook, David Hickenbotham, Walter Worth, Wayne Wallace, Bruce Wood, Mike Farrar, Larry White, Dale Crutchfield. **Second row:** Danny Megginson, James Thomas, Chip Woodyard, Steve Albright, Kippy Carter, Bobby Ratliff, David Bradley, Gary Bowen, Tyrone Lewis. **Third row:** Leonard Wallace, Jerome Allen, Bro Brown, Winky Paxton, C. W. Linkswiler, Mike Nicely, Dusty Walker, Mike Carter. **Fourth row:** David Deaton, Monte Scruggs, Gilbert Davis, Mike Wilcher, Gary Hutchison, Landon Simpson, John Perdue, Sammy Nicastro.

Coach Ed Scott and Coach Colby Trammell.

Varsity Gridders Work Together

Bitter defeat and ecstatic victory were again part of the C.F.H.S. football scene, but the hustle and desire expressed by the team members themselves were what led the Mountaineers to their season record of 6 wins and 4 losses. With a district record of 3-3 the Mounties finished fourth in Blue Ridge District Standings.

David Hickenbotham set a new school record by scoring 122 points this season bringing his career total to 304 points, another school record. He also was named to the All-American Football Team. He and Steve Carter, Dale Crutchfield, Walter Worth, Danny Megginson, and C. W. Linkswiler were named to the All-District team.

The eleven seniors on the team provided the good leadership necessary for any successful football team. David Hickenbotham, Steve Carter, and Dale Crutchfield served as team captains.

Head Coach Ed Scott and Backfield Coach Colby Trammell provided superior leadership and training for a superior team.

Mountie co-captains David Hickenbotham and Steve Carter confer before a game with referee and Alleghany co-captains.

1970 Varsity Football Statistics

C.F.	22	Liberty	18
C.F.	20	Addison	18
C.F.	6	William Byrd	28
C.F.	6	Alleghany	19
C.F.	28	Pocahontas	14
C.F.	26	James River	27
C.F.	14	Glenvar	13
C.F.	24	Buena Vista	12
C.F.	12	Lord Botetourt	0
C.F.	27	Covington	36

Another Mountaineer victory! James Thomas (No. 11) signals "touchdown."

Mighty Mountaineers plow through victory sign before Clifton Forge-Alleghany game. (What's that in Dale's arms??)

David breaks through for another famous touchdown run.

Left: What is this — pass the hot potato?

Below: Don't look now, David, but I think you're being followed.

J.V.'s Try Again

First row: Mr. Moore, Glenn Perry, Greg Via, Dennis Duff, Porky Paxton, Doug Singleton, Mark Leisure, Fred Clark, Mr. Richmond. Second row: Tony Kelly, Chappy Morris, Steve Crowder, Leonard Tinsley, Johnny Scruggs, Clay Morris, Ronnie Foster. Third row: Alan Wills, Mac Beard, David Jeffries, Sammy Thompson, Gary Scruggs, Lennie Crance, Rusty Nicely, Donald Alston.

Victory and defeat were felt by the members of this year's Clifton Forge High School Junior Varsity football team. Always playing against teams of greater size and experience, the Junior Mounties' spirits were never dampened.

Although the scoring did not indicate it, the team played good, hard football and gained valuable experience for next year. The best game and only win tallied by the J.V.'s was against the James River Knights. A touchdown scored in the two final, spine-tingling minutes of the contest accounted for the win. Three players, Gary Scruggs, Chappy Morris, and Samuel Thompson showed great ability with the pigskin and good varsity prospects.

What is in store for next year? The coaches, Stephen Moore and Jack Richmond, expect a bigger and better team and a bright future for J.V. football in Clifton Forge.

A Mountie player is downed by overwhelming odds.

1970 J.V. Football Statistics

C.F.	8	Alleghany	14
C.F.	0	Covington	34
C.F.	20	James River	16
C.F.	0	Lord Botetourt	8
C.F.	14	New Castle	26
C.F.	0	Alleghany	28
C.F.	0	New Castle	38
C.F.	0	Covington	36

HOMECOMING QUEEN
Cyn Brown

Cyn Brown with captains David Hickenbotham and Dale Crutchfield.

Maid of Honor
Nancy Rankin

Attendants:
Mickie Riddle, Freshman
Janice Stinnett, Sophomore
Kris Backels, Eighth Grade

Cyn Brown Reigns As Homecoming Queen

The Homecoming Queen and her Court.

Sadness prevailed throughout the halls of C.F.H.S. as the plans of the annually scheduled Homecoming game washed away with the torrents of rain outside. The parade and game previously scheduled for Friday, October 30, had to be postponed until Monday, November 2.

A somewhat brighter aspect of the day was the Homecoming Dance which was sponsored by the Sophomore Class. Entering the Clifton Forge Armory, couples were engrossed in the mood of mystique and bewitchment as portrayed by the theme "Mountie Magic." Beneath a sky of silver stars and around a bubbling caldron, couples danced to the music provided by the Stonehenge of Covington.

The long awaited parade, game, and crowning of the Queen and recognition of her Court came at last. The festivities ended on a high key with a 12-0 victory over Lord Botetourt.

Above: Couples dance to the music by the Stonehenge.

Right: Sue Roalf knows the formula for the witch's brew.

Sherry Simpson checks the witch's brew.

Cagers Start Out Walking—Learn to Run

Kneeling: Nate Sledd, Coach Lewter, Joey Johnson. **Standing:** Marc Jordan, James Thomas, David Bradley, Chip Woodyard, Bro Brown, Gilbert Davis, Walter Worth, Mickey Duff, Kippy Carter, Bobby Ratliff, Doug Finestone, Stanley Goode.

The season was very disappointing from the standpoint of injuries. By mid-term the Mounties had lost five key players, but they were not discouraged. A lot of determination and effort pushed them through many close, but unsuccessful games. The Mounties' best game effort was a loss to the powerful Glenvar team on our home floor, and Mountie fans were thrilled with the team efforts which led to two seasonal victories and a district win over their arch-rivals, the Alleghany Colts.

Several team members established outstanding individual records. Walter Worth and Gilbert Davis were high scorers for the season with 241 points apiece. Walter Worth was also the rebounding champ for the season. Joey Johnson had the highest game scoring record averaging 12.1 points per game.

The season's close saw injuries heal and a strong finish in regular season and tournament play. Winning second place in the District tournament earned the Mounties a berth in the Region III tournament where they lost in the first round to Chatham High School.

C.F.H.S. can be proud of a team which expresses so much determination, and we can look forward to an even better team next year.

1970-71 Varsity Basketball Statistics

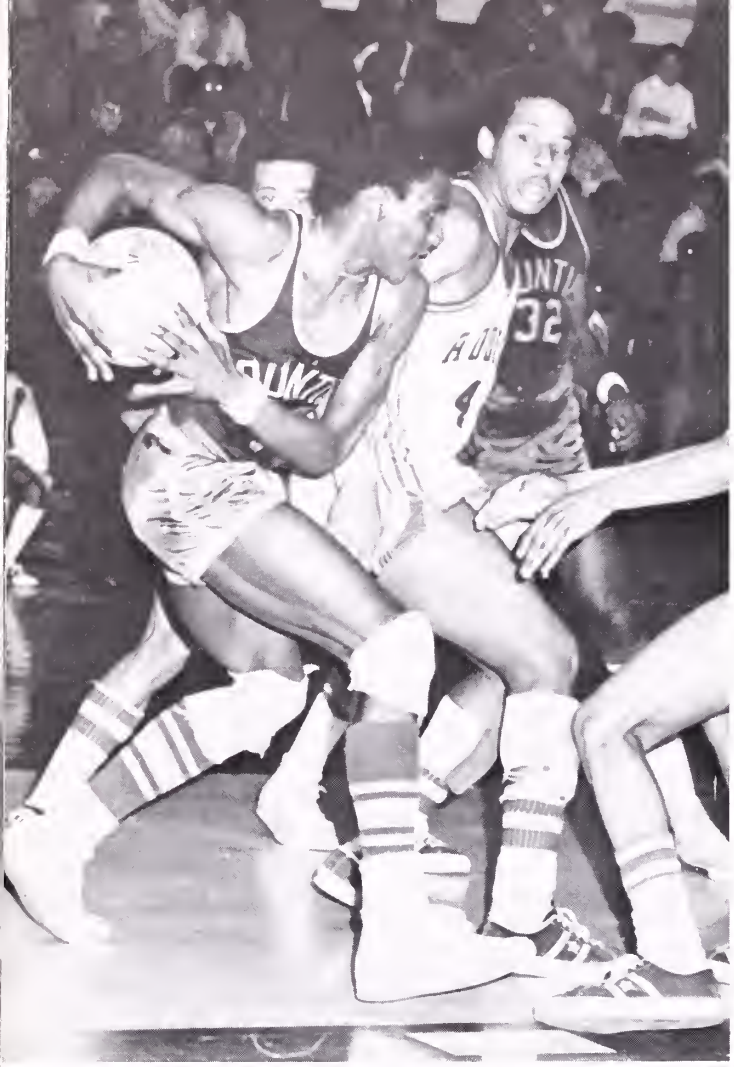
C.F.	53	Natural Bridge	74
C.F.	64	Lord Botetourt	71
C.F.	73	James River	76
C.F.	46	Glenvar	99
C.F.	54	Addison	73
C.F.	63	William Byrd	83
C.F.	68	Alleghany	59
C.F.	48	Roanoke Catholic	49
C.F.	67	Covington	54
C.F.	56	Addison	75
C.F.	58	Lord Botetourt	80
C.F.	65	Glenvar	73
C.F.	68	James River	73
C.F.	63	William Byrd	78
C.F.	87	Alleghany	66
C.F.	46	Covington	51
C.F.	75	Roanoke Catholic	72
C.F.	61	Natural Bridge	66
		District Tournament	
C.F.	70	Lord Botetourt	68
C.F.	56	Alleghany	49
C.F.	43	Addison	73
		Region III Tournament	
C.F.	73	Chatham	99

Above: Mounties warm up before a crucial game.

Right: David Bradley attempts to retrieve the ball from a Cougar player.

Below: What kind of basketball strategy is this?

Hurry, Chip! Steal that ball!



Left: Gilbert Davis sees tournament action against Addison.
Above: Hey! How did the ball get stuck to the ceiling?

Left: Bobby Ratliff looks jubilant after a victory over Alleghany.

"Baby Mountaineers" Second in District Race

Kneeling: C. W. Linkswiler. **Standing:** Glenn Perry, Fred Clark, Wayne Hailes, Eddie Pullen, Leonard Wallace, James Stephens, Chappy Morris, Rodney Unroe, Dusty Walker, Greg Megginson, Coach Trammell.

The J.V.'s, led by sophomores Dusty Walker, Jerome Allen, and C. W. Linkswiler were second in the Blue Ridge District race. The team had an overall record of 13-5 before losing to Addison in the J.V. tournament for the district championship.

C. W. Linkswiler, the most experienced J.V. hoop man, led the Mounties with a 14.6 scoring average. He was followed by Walker and Allen. Chappy Morris and Leonard Wallace both saw a lot of action for the Mounties and are eligible to play J.V.'s next year, for they are only freshmen. Greg Megginson, Rodney Unroe, Eddie Pullen, Wayne Hailes, Fred Clark, and Tussy Humphreys are also eligible next year.

Unfortunately, the team was plagued by some bad luck. Three players, two of them starters, lost their eligibility at mid-semester. Another player, Chappy Morris, a starter all season, was injured in the last game with Glenvar and was not able to finish the season. Despite these handicaps, the team finished their winning season on a bright note and are looking forward to another good season next year.

Below: Leonard Wallace (no. 44) shoots for two.

J.V. Basketball Statistics

C.F.	57	Natural Bridge	35
C.F.	42	Lord Botetourt	48
C.F.	37	James River	31
C.F.	33	Glenvar	32
C.F.	32	Addison	45
C.F.	45	William Byrd	47
C.F.	32	Alleghany	30
C.F.	50	Catholic	52
C.F.	54	Covington	47
C.F.	34	Addison	62
C.F.	54	Lord Botetourt	46
C.F.	36	James River	39
C.F.	47	William Byrd	41
C.F.	55	Alleghany	49
C.F.	56	Glenvar	53
C.F.	32	Covington	29
C.F.	61	Catholic	54
C.F.	49	Natural Bridge	39

Left: C. W. Linkswiler attempts a block. Below: C. W. Linkswiler is almost fouled as he moves in.

Eighth Grade Wins Again

Kneeling: Tommy Slusser, Kevin Nicely, Greg Via, Jimmy Leech, Mike Layton. **Standing:** Coach Richmond, Leonard Tinsley, Charles Anderson, Tussy Humphries, Alan Wills, Dana Myers, William Thomas.

dribble + pass
shoot

The winning formula for the eighth grade basketball team seemed to be just that, as they came through with a 7-3 winning season. The starting games were slow, losing their first two games to Natural Bridge and Covington. Then they started to play and win, bowing only once more to Bath County. Coach Jack Richmond was proud of his team's showing throughout the season. Captain Greg Via and leading scorer Tussy Humphries led the pace as the other members followed suit. Plans are being made for next year's team, and we are looking forward to another winning season.

A mountie tries for a foul shot.

Eighth Grade Basketball Statistics

C.F.	37	Natural Bridge	43
C.F.	24	Covington	37
D.F.	34	Alleghany	27
C.F.	42	Bath County	23
C.F.	36	Lord Botetourt	26
C.F.	24	Bath County	36
C.F.	55	Covington	37
C.F.	46	Natural Bridge	39
C.F.	46	Lord Botetourt	35
C.F.	45	Alleghany	27

Girls' Varsity Team Has Promising Future

Kneeling: Susan Layne, Maitland McCoy, Evelyn Maddox. **Standing:** Betty Jo Spinner, Linda Powell, Laura Hearne, Linda Waddell, Miss Strong.

What makes a good basketball team? Hard work, team effort, and a good coach. Miss Barbara Strong provided excellent coaching, and her varsity team put forth a great deal of hard work as they strove to succeed as a team.

The girls won only two games this season, but they played hard and learned from their mistakes. After suffering bitter defeat at the hands of James River in a 41-14 loss, they came back to defeat Alleghany 38-27 in their last and best game of the season.

Betty Jo Spinner and opponent battle for the ball.

Varsity Girls' Basketball Statistics

C.F.	27	Alleghany	26
C.F.	14	James River	41
C.F.	34	James River	38
C.F.	36	Alleghany	39
C.F.	31	James River	42
C.F.	38	Alleghany	27

J.V.'s Prove To Be Excellent Varsity Material

Kneeling: Oretha Brown and Diane Hunter. **Standing:** Sally Tucker, Carol Van Lear, Brenda Deaton, Miss Strong.

The J.V.'s posted a season record of three wins and two losses. This record itself speaks well for their playing ability and team effort. Carol Van Lear and Oretha Brown were the most valuable players.

This is the first girls' basketball team in several years, which accounts for their weaknesses. Organizing a winning team takes time, and the girls are striving for one in the future.

They are certainly off to a good start!

Right: Oretha Brown dribbles for a lay-up.

J.V. Girls' Basketball Statistics

C.F.	13	James River	11
C.F.	10	James River	12
C.F.	23	Alleghany	8
C.F.	15	James River	19
C.F.	16	Alleghany	14

Mounties Win Honors on the Mats

Kneeling: Danny Morehead, Winky Paxton, Larry White, Wayne Wallace, Bruce Wood, Steve Albright, Mike Wilcher, Steve Carter, Gary Hutchison, Danny Coffman, Kevin Davis, Coe Pullen. **Standing:** Mr. Scott, Bob Dunlap, Porky Paxton, Guy Pullen, Dennis Duff, Andy Agee, Tony Kelly, Mark Leisure, Sammy Nicastro, Tommy Drumheller.

Below: Larry White attempts to make a pin.

Below: Winky Paxton takes advantage over an opponent.

The Clifton Forge wrestling program is still in the building stage, but they had a fine team this year. The final record was 2 wins and 9 losses. The Mountie grapplers placed fifth in the district tournament and out of 13 teams, they placed fourth in the regional tournament.

Several wrestlers won individual honors in post season tournaments. Larry White placed second in the district, first in the region, and fourth in the state. Steve Albright finished first in both the district and regional tournaments. Thomas Paxton finished second in both the district and region. Wayne Wallace and Kevin Davis finished fourth in both the district and regional tournaments.

1971 Wrestling Statistics

C.F.	21	Covington	31
C.F.	35	Addison	22
C.F.	14	Alleghany	32
C.F.	13	William Byrd	30
C.F.	23	Alleghany	31
C.F.	31	Addison	18
C.F.	14	William Byrd	32
C.F.	13	V.S.D.B.	35
C.F.	6	Glenvar	38
C.F.	22	Covington	30

Track Team Small But Mighty

Kneeling: Ricky Hailes, Coe Pullen, Bobby Simpson, Bobby McGuire, Tony Kelly, Dennis Duff, Greg Via, Dickie Paxton. Standing: Coach Scott, Bobby Ratliff, Alan Wills, Elugh Crawford, Tommy Sampson, David Wright, Mike Carter, Wane Hailes, Steve Crowder, Greg Megginson.

Rebuilding is a long, hard process as the track team at Clifton Forge High School knows. After not having a team for two years, a group re-organized under the direction of Coach Ed Scott.

The varsity as well as junior varsity team competed in three-way meets in competition against larger schools such as Glenvar, William Byrd, Addison, Lord Botetourt, and rivals Covington and Alleghany.

Sammy Thompson takes the lead in the high hurdles.

Dickie Paxton leads his opponent in a running event.

While track is a team sport, its success is due largely to the individual abilities of its members. High scorer for the varsity team, Dickie Paxton, led the team with eighteen points. Exceptional talent was found on the junior varsity squad in Dennis Duff running track, Tony Kelly putting the shot, and Wane Hailes with the discus.

Though this year's squad was small, they worked hard and can be proud of their performances.

Girls' Track Team Flourishes

First row: Miss Strong, Iris Hyler, Becky Linkswiler, Mauri King, Kris Backels, Natalie Callender, Maitland McCoy, Nancy Rankin. **Second row:** Rachel Drumheller, Lynn Smith, Vicki Tuke, Kim Mays, Robin Downey, Teri Woodyard, Benay Hatcher, Linda Powell. **Third row:** Carol Van Lear, Ellen Tucker, Oretha Brown, Robin King, Brenda Deaton, Teresa Knick.

The girls' team can do other things besides run track.

Even though the girls' track team at Clifton Forge High School is small, they put forth a lot of team effort and hard work in displaying their skills. The girls attended only three meets, but several of them placed each time. Six girls qualified for the State meet. They did not place, but they made a fine showing for their school. The coach, Barbara Strong, anticipates larger and stronger teams in years to come.

Team Effort Aids Baseball Season

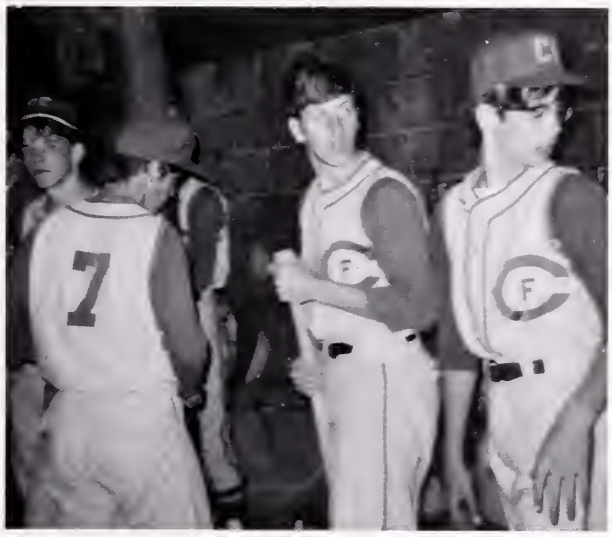
First row: Coach Watson, Dick Woods, Dusty Walker, David Shores, Mike Wilcher, Kippy Carter, Jimmy Saunders, C. W. Linkswiler, David Bradley. **Second row:** Robby Taylor, Steve Backels, Landon Simpson, Dale Crutchfield, Jeff Gilbert, David Jeffries, Mark Leisure. **Third row:** Gary Stuple, Mac Beard, Monte Scruggs, Chip Woodyard, Greg Haynes, John Perdue, Gary Hutchison, David Ralston.

In summarizing the Mountie baseball season, the team was perhaps lacking in talent and depth, but had a wealth of desire. After adjusting to the new, but excellent coaching of Mr. Watson, the team had a fairly successful season posting a record of 5 wins and 11 losses.

There was good team leadership in the form of Dale Crutchfield and David Bradley. Both Jimmy Saunders and Chip Woodyard made the All-Area team, and Chip Woodyard made the All-District team. Dale Crutchfield also had a good season behind the plate allowing only 5 stolen bases in 16 games. Greg Haynes accounted for 5 of the Clifton wins.

A final acknowledgment must be payed to players, who certainly deserved letters but did not have enough innings, for their vast contribution off the field as well as their limited contribution on the field. Good team effort paid off for the Mounties.

David Bradley throws to first baseman, Mark Leisure, for an out.



Above: Steve Backels is hit by a wild pitch.

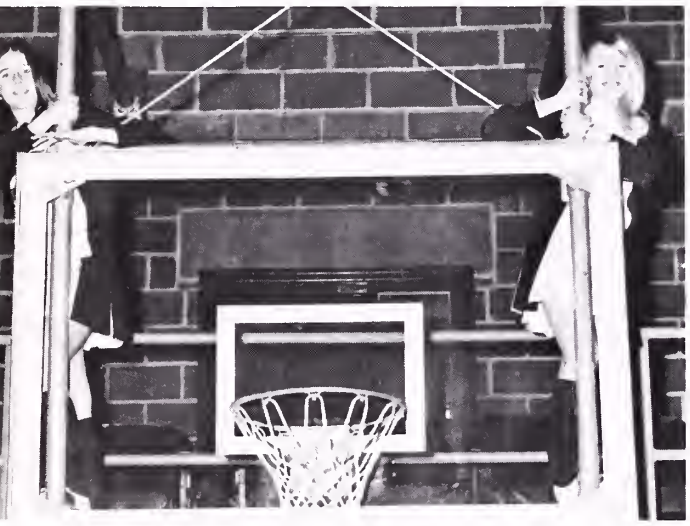
Left: Hey, gang! What's going on?

Below: Coach Watson seems to be contemplating the next play.

1971 Baseball Statistics

C.F.	1	Covington	5
C.F.	11	Lord Botetourt	1
C.F.	11	Addison	2
C.F.	1	William Byrd	3
C.F.	0	Alleghany	11
C.F.	4	Covington	6
C.F.	1	Lord Botetourt	2
C.F.	1	Glenvar	8
C.F.	5	Bath County	6
C.F.	9	Addison	0
C.F.	4	Bath County	5
C.F.	3	William Byrd	2
C.F.	3	Glenvar	14
C.F.	0	Alleghany	4
		Tournament Scores	
C.F.	5	Glenvar	0
C.F.	0	Alleghany	4

Foreground: Helen Claire Carter, Becky Miller. **Background:** Janice Stinnett, Susan Stinespring, Tuck Crabill, Donna Mays, Sue Roalf, Paula Craft, Nancy Rankin.



Left: Becky Miller, Asst. Head. **Right:** Helen Claire Carter, Head.

Cheerleaders Achieve

The day starts early at Camp Farrar in Virginia Beach where our Varsity Cheerleaders again attended camp this summer. New cheers were learned and others shared as the week progressed. All the hard work was not in vain, as this year's squad placed second in final competition and brought home several superior and excellent ratings.

Back in Clifton Forge more surprises were yet to come! As the football season began, it brought with it new uniforms for the cheerleaders and proud looks

Cheerleaders display Mountaineer spirit prior to the Clifton-Alleghany Football game.

Left to right: Romania Wallace, Kim Mays, Becky Linkswiler, Sara Burger, Cindy Anderson, Teri Woodyard, Mauri King, Kris Backels, Kimberley Hamilton.

Superior Rating

beamed everywhere.

The Junior Varsity squad appeared at every J.V. game to encourage their team members and add color to the games. They participated in pep rallies and shared the duties of cheering for the wrestling matches with the varsity girls.

Everyone was kept in high spirits during the sports seasons with pep rallies and posters. Special tournament preparations ended a very busy year.

Left: Teri Woodyard, Head. **Right:** Cindy Anderson, Asst. Head.

The J.V. cheerleaders cheer the team on during a wrestling match.

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ACTIVITIES

Student Council Initiates Several Changes

First row: Patty Montgomery, Susan Layne, Debbie Spence, Diane Kimberlin, Margaret Warren, Carolyn Hall, Donna Myers, Helen Claire Carter, Rachel Drumheller, Darlene Humphries, Nancy Rankin, Paula Craft. **Second row:** Mauri King, Mickie Riddle, Donna Kimberlin, Elaine Adams, Charlyn Adlis, Christie Conner, Brenda Deaton, Donna Connor, Kathy Whitmer, Sue Webster, Towana Washington, Tommy Slusser, Robby Taylor. **Third row:** Mark Leisure, Bro Brown, Gilbert Davis, Steve Backels, Dick Woods, Landon Simpson, Harvey Drewry, Gary Hutchison, Greg Megginson, Kippy Carter, Doug Finestone, Earl Roles, Steve Carter, Eddie Pullen.

Front: Steve Backels, Vice-pres.; Doug Finestone, Pres. **Back:** Margaret Warren, Sec.; Mr. Pederson, sponsor; Paula Craft, Treas.

Under the staunch leadership of its president, Doug Finestone, along with the helpful assistance and cooperation of the sponsor, Mr. James Pederson, our Student Council has this year helped to bring the students and administration into better communication. The S.C.A. had helped to bring about several changes in the cheerleading selection and the dress code policy of our school. In its aim toward better understanding, it has partaken in discussions and seminars relating to the drug, environment, and racial problems. Representatives have actively participated in District and State conventions at Alleghany County, Roanoke, and Richmond. Again this year, the S.C.A. sponsored the annual Homecoming parade and the Sadie Hawkins Dance. The S.C.A. was also the initiator in sponsoring couples from C.F.H.S. on "Saturday Session." For its fund-raising project, C.F.H.S. T-shirts, jackets and sweatshirts were sold. Students were given the opportunity to voice their opinions in school activities through the use of the student bulletin board provided by the S.C.A. Always concerned with the improvement of our school, the S.C.A. can truly be called an active organization.

David Bradley buys a sweatshirt and jacket from Doug Finestone.

Math Students Compete in Math Fair

Seated: Mike Carter, Landon Simpson, Dusty Walker, James Stephens, Tommy Keller, Mac Campbell, Glenn Perry, Greg Megginson. **Standing:** Cindy Faidley, Linda Powell, Donna Connor, Gary Hutchison, Sue Webster, Natalie Callendar, Ricky Hailes, Dick Woods, Bobbie Burns.

The Math Club, a fairly recent organization at Clifton Forge High School, was very active this year. Early in the year, the members traveled to Liberty High School in Bedford to view a math fair and to get some ideas for projects of their own. They later exhibited these projects at the Math Fair which was held for the first time at the annual spring Science Fair.

Landon Simpson, Vice-president; Ricky Hailes, Secretary; Mrs. Lee, Sponsor; Dick Woods, Treasurer; Tommy Keller, President.

Mountaineer Keeps Monthly Issues in Circulation

Kneeling: Kathy Gochenour, Rachel Drumheller, Darlene Humphries, Cindy Coffman, Sally Finestone, Kathy Whitmer. Seated: Diane Kimberlin, Colleen Calhoun, Donna Myers, Steve Carter. Standing, first row: Natalie Callender, Gina Wade, Maitland McCoy, Susan Layne, Martha Jo Leech, Debbie Jo Jenkins, Jane Morgan, Jean Woods, Patricia Eubank, Donna Mays, Leigh Ann Tucker, Robin King. Second row: Patricia Nicely, Bobbi Burns, Doug Finestone, Joan Chaplin, Vicky Heacock, Laura Hearne, Elaine Adams, Ellen Sanders, Kippy Carter.

Seated: Cindy Coffman, head typist; Diane Kimberlin, Business Mgr.; Colleen Calhoun, Publication Mgr.; Steve Carter, Ed.; Donna Myers, Asst. Ed. Standing: Miss Fraley; Jean Woods, head artist; Kippy Carter, Sports Ed.; Debbie Jo Jenkins, Circulation Mgr.; Mrs. Gantt.

Editor Steve Carter proofreads material before publication.

Clickety-clack! What's that? Only the typists of the *Mountaineer* trying to finish that last copy.

Through the cooperation and intense interest of every staff member, the *Mountaineer* brings to C.F.H.S. the current news concerning sports coverage, latest fads, interviews, and gossip. Under the capable supervision of its editor, Steve Carter, and the sponsors, Miss Ossie Fraley and Mrs. Patricia Gantt, the staff has successfully kept the student body well posted on the latest happenings through the monthly issues of our school newspaper.

Hard work paid off when a copy of the *Mountaineer* received a first place rating in its division when judged by representatives from the Virginia High School League.

Betas Distinguish Themselves on TV Shows

First row: Lynn McDaniel, Patty Montgomery, Debbie Jo Jenkins, Jane Morgan, Diane Kimberlin, Carolyn Hall, Margaret Warren, Debbie Spence, Jean Tucker, Martha Jo Leech, Donna Myers, Helen Claire Carter, Susan Stinespring, Susan Layne, Becky Miller. **Second row:** Paula Craft, Colleen Calhoun, Marjorie Bagby, Elaine Adams, Terry Bruffy, Charlyn Adlis, Susan Carpenter, Betty Kibler, Ellen Ryan, Nancy Rankin, Vicki Goodbar, Karen Van Lear, Debra Nicely, Kathy Gochenour. **Third row:** Mrs. VanLear, Jimmy Saunders, Christie Conner, Doug Finestone, Joey Johnson, Harvey Drewry, Kenny Myers, Tim Fields, Gary Haynes, Earl Roles, Vicky Heacock, Laura Hearne, Bill Wilcher, Steve Backels.

Being a member of the Beta Club is a symbol of outstanding academic achievement. This year forty-two juniors and seniors shared this honor.

The Betas, under the supervision of Mrs. Lillian VanLear, got off to a good start by sending Vicky Heacock, Doug Finestone, and Susan Stinespring to Klassroom Kwiz for two consecutive weeks. Kenny Myers, Colleen Calhoun, Vicky Heacock, and Doug Finestone appeared on "Who Knows" twice.

Two members, Jane Morgan and Susan Stinespring, attended the state conference in Richmond on March 19-21.

Left to right:
Mrs. VanLear, sponsor
Donna Myers, Vice-president
Susan Stinespring, Treasurer
Patty Montgomery, President
Susan Layne, Secretary

Jr. Tri-Hi-Y Serves School and Community

First row: Tuck Crabill, Kim Mays, Teri Woodyard, Pam Abbott. **Second row:** Jeannie Burger, Bobbie Detwiler, Donna Conner, Brenda Deaton, Gina Wade, Joan Chaplin. **Third row:** Pat Dowdy, Janice Stinnett, Kristi Lutz. **Fourth row:** Kaye Whitmer, Sherry Simpson, Bonney Burnside, Robin King, Angela Campbell, Paula Nicely.

The Jr. Tri-Hi-Y members worked in the community and school to make this year a rewarding one. Projects included a Thanksgiving program for the student body, a Thanksgiving basket to a deserving family in the area, and collecting jewelry for the Lynchburg Training Center.

Conferences were held throughout the year, with Clifton Forge being represented at the Massanetta Training Camp, District Conference, and the Officers' Workshop. Hard work and a lot of fun went together to make this year a truly happy one for all the girls in the club.

Seated: Tuck Crabill, Rec. Sec.; Bobbie Detwiler, Pres.; Gina Wade, Vice-pres.; Donna Conner, Cor. Sec. Standing: Brenda Deaton, Treas.; Janice Stinnett, Chaplain; Mrs. Woods, Sponsor.

Bobbie Detwiler, Janice Stinnett, and Gina Wade participate in Thanksgiving assembly.

Tri-Hi-Y Sends Three Representatives to M.G.A.

Left to rear: Carolyn Hall, Debra Nicely, Jane Morgan, Kathy Gochenour, Patricia Eubank, Darlene Morehead, Susan Carpenter, Debbie Campbell, Patty Montgomery, Patricia Nicely, Vicky Heacock, Colleen Calhoun, Carol Sinar, Laura Hearne, Iris Martin. **Rear to right:** Joan Sheets, Betty Kibler, Elaine Adams, Paula Craft, Becky Miller, Bobbi Burns, Nancy Rankin, Joan Shaffer, Karen Van Lear, Charlyn Adlis, Ellen Sanders, Bonnie Hickman, Ellen Ryan, Cindy Coffman, Linda Powell, Christie Conner. **Right to front:** Paula Dobbs, Linda Waddell, Cela Nicely, Jean Tucker, Margaret Warren, Susan Layne, Pam Black, Martha Jo Leech, Helen Claire Carter, Donna Mays, Susan Stinespring, Donna Myers, Diane Kimberlin, and Debbie Jo Jenkins.

First row: Mrs. Clift; Carolyn Hall, Vice-President; Paula Dobbs, President. **Second row:** Diane Kimberlin, Chaplain; Cela Nicely, Secretary; Colleen Calhoun, Treasurer.

Under the leadership of the president, Paula Dobbs, and the sponsor, Mrs. Jean Clift, the Tri-Hi-Y club at Clifton Forge High School has completed another fun-filled, active year.

Two of the officers, Paula Dobbs and Carolyn Hall, attended the Hi-Y Leadership Training Conference at Massanetta Springs during the summer of 1970. Other members of the club helped collect for the March of Dimes during the month of February.

This year the club sent three representatives to the Model General Assembly in Richmond on April 22-24. Elaine Adams and Patty Montgomery served as delegates, and Carolyn Hall was chosen by the state Y.M.C.A. to be a staff assistant.

Right: Officers Paula Dobbs and Carolyn Hall appear with guest speaker, Rev. Robert Hughes, at the Christmas assembly.

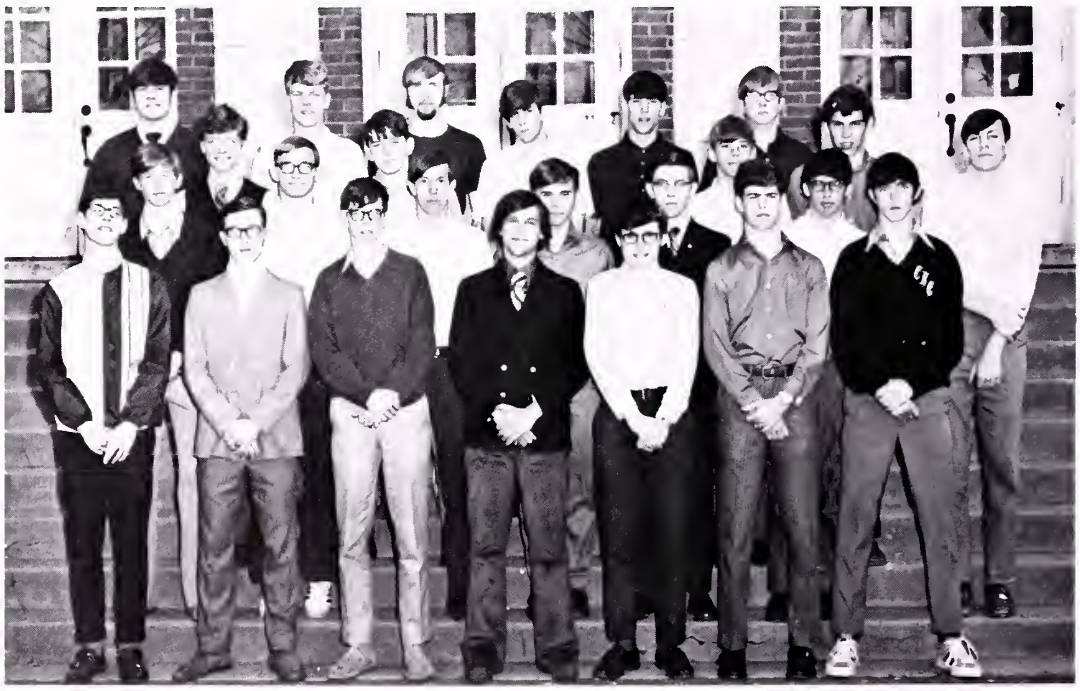
Hi-Y Sponsors Gala Christmas Dance

Front row: David Deisher, Secretary; Gary Haynes, President; Bobby Ratliff, Vice-president. **Second row:** Mr. Foust, Sponsor; Dale Crutchfield, Sergeant-At-Arms; Doug Finestone, Chaplain; Mr. VanLear.

Under the leadership of Gary Haynes, President, and Mr. VanLear and Mr. Foust, advisors, the Hi-Y members again sponsored the annual Christmas Dance. The semi-formal, always one of the highlights of the school's social life, was once again a huge success. Much credit should be given the Hi-Y for their fine efforts.

The boys have been active in other school and community projects, too. To show their interest in ecology and desire to live in a safer environment, the boys spent several Saturdays cleaning up various areas of the city. They sold candy as a money raising project to aid them in meeting their expenses.

Bill Wilcher was elected to serve as a delegate to Model General Assembly held in Richmond, Virginia, on April 22-24.



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Spring Blooms With F.H.A. Fashion Show

Seated: Natalie Callender, Purial Pettis, Diane Hunter, Towana Washington, Maitland McCoy. **Standing:** Cheryl Taylor, Demetrice Cooper, Oretha Brown, Angela Megginson, Georgina Tolliver, Dreama Hickenbotham, Telah Lacey, Pam Brown, Holly Dunford, Teresa Knick, Rhonda Melton, Ginger Campbell.

Cheryl Taylor, Pres.; Telah Lacey, Treasurer; Demetrice Cooper, Asst. Secretary; Natalie Callender, Vice-president; Teresa Knick, Song Leader; Mrs. Anderson, sponsor.

Behind every Home Economics Class, there is a Future Homemakers of America club which further helps to bring the domestic arts to the school. Here at C.F.H.S. our F.H.A. participates in many homemaking rallies in order to provide a well-rounded domestic background for its members.

Spring was certainly in the air when the F.H.A. presented their Fashion Show on May 3 in the C.F.H.S. auditorium. They also took part in the many activities at the spring rally held on April 19.

A Band for All Seasons

The Clifton Forge High School Concert Band

The school and community activities of the Clifton Forge High School band are as regular as the seasons. Their busy pace began in the fall with the performance of halftime routines at the football games.

Winter brought the band's annual Christmas concert and later found Terry Bruffey, Sally Finestone, and Carol VanLear as auditioned representatives in the District VI Regional Band. "Old Man Winter" also saw musical history being made in our area. Director Larry R. Bilger organized an All-Area Band that involved the top bandsmen from the high schools of Alleghany, Covington, and Clifton Forge. The selected students presented a concert on February 14 under the direction of Mr. Paul B. Noble, Jr. from the Shenandoah Conservatory of Music, Winchester.

Besides an annual Spring Concert and a trip to Winchester for the Apple Blossom Festival, this season revealed another first for the C.F.H.S. band and its director. They received an "excellent" rating at the District VI Instrumental Music Festival for their rendition of grade IV music which was approved by the Va. Music Educators Association.

Diane Kimberlin, President; Carol Sinar, Vice-president; Christie Conner, Secretary; Debbie Campbell, Treasurer.

Kneeling: Rachel Drumheller, Teresa Knick, Christie Conner, Bonny Burnside, Darlene Humphries.
Standing: Connie Sloan, Nancy Lee, Debbie Campbell, Janet McMillion, Cathy O'Brien.

Christie Conner, Assistant Head; Debbie Campbell, Head.

Carol Sinar, Drum Majorette.

Majorettes perform routine to "Raindrops Keep Fallin' on My Head".

K.V.G.'s Help Protect Natural Resources

First row: Dickie Paxton, Lynn Jeffries, Bruce Wood, Doug Singleton, Mike Nicely, Steve Backels, C. W. Linkswiler, Dusty Walker, Steve Albright, Monte Scruggs. **Second row:** Jerome Allen, Ricky Caudill, Coe Pullen, Mike Wilcher, Steve Hartsook, Robert Colvin, Norval Campbell, Greg Haynes. **Third row:** Terry Hall, Jerry Hall, Mac Campbell, Gary Bowen, Ronnie Foster. **Fourth row:** Albert Snead, Danny Stinespring, Mike Clark, James Thomas, Kippy Carter, John Perdue, Jay Easter, Rodney Wilcher. **Fifth row:** Dale Crutchfield, David Wright, Steve Carter, Greg Huffman, Gary Haynes, David Deisher. **Sixth row:** Guy Johnson, Mike Watts, Jimmy Saunders, Chip Woodyard, Tommy Clapsaddle, Ed Campbell, Joey Johnson, Danny Jenkins.

Greg Huffman shows Jimmy Saunders and Steve Backels how to operate a fire extinguisher.

"Keep Virginia Green." It is hard work, but a rewarding experience.

This organization is composed of a group of young men who volunteer their services and receive their training under the direction of a forestry supervisor. Then, whenever a forest fire is started, on private or government land, they answer the call and work day or night to save the land. This year the boys fought fires in both Alleghany and Botetourt counties. The pay is good, but also is the thought of knowing they have helped to save our natural resources.

Varsity Club Grows in Size

First row: Helen Claire Carter, Susan Stinespring, Susan Layne, Debbie Campbell, Maitland McCoy, Iris Martin, Benay Hatcher, Laura Hearne, Becky Miller, Paula Craft, Jimmy Saunders, Danny Coffman, Brenda Deaton. **Second row:** Donnie Simpson, Donna Mays, Bobby Ratliff, Chip Woodyard, Bruce Wood, David Bradley, Kippy Carter, Steve Albright, Dusty Walker, C. W. Linkswiler, Gary Hutchison, Doug Singleton, Dickie Paxton. **Third row:** Linda Powell, Carol Sinar, Darlene Humphries, Steve Hartsook, Rachel Drumheller, Joey Johnson, Danny Morehead, Steve Carter, Gary Bowen, Jerry Hall, Terry Hall. **Fourth row:** Tommy Clapsaddle, Randy Riddle, Dale Crutchfield, James Thomas, Walter Worth, Tyrone Lewis, Ed Campbell, Larry Lewis, Greg Megginson, Jerome Allen, William Brown, David Hickenbotham, Gilbert Davis, Nate Sledd.

The Varsity Club is composed of students who have earned their school letters. Letters are presented to those who have achieved in sports as well as to cheerleaders and senior band members. The club is not active, but it is indeed an honor to earn a letter and be a member of this club.

Darlene Humphries and Rachel Drumheller practice a routine.

William Brown anxiously watches the ball.

Happy Moments Recaptured in ***Alleghanian***

Seated: Margaret Warren, Carolyn Hall, Cela Nicely, Jean Tucker. **Standing, First row:** Helen Claire Carter, June Easter, Betty Kibler, Ellen Ryan, Charlyn Adlis, Susan Stinespring, Doug Singleton. **Second row:** Bill Wilcher, Mike Carter, Donna Connor, Kaye Whitmer, Bobbie Detwiler, Iris Martin, Christie Conner, Janice Stinnett.

From recorded facts we have received our American heritage; therefore, from the pages of our **Alleghanian** have students been able to retain their memories of Clifton Forge High School. Through writing and photography, our **Alleghanian** staff strives to recapture all the happy moments experienced here at C.F.H.S.

Under the guidance of our editor, Carolyn Hall, the **Alleghanian** staff has held several workshops in preparation of our yearbook. In relation to the financing of our annual, the **Alleghanian** staff was in charge of the concession stands for one football game and during basketball season.

Only through the combined efforts of the sponsor, editor, assistant editor, and the copy, business, and photography staffs can the **Alleghanian** staff hope to edit an annual of which the students at C.F.H.S. may be proud.

Carolyn Hall, Editor; Margaret Warren, Assistant Editor; Mrs. Morris, Sponsor; Cela Nicely, Business Manager; Jean Tucker, Copy Editor; Mike Carter, Head Photographer.

The staff is busy preparing layouts for another deadline.

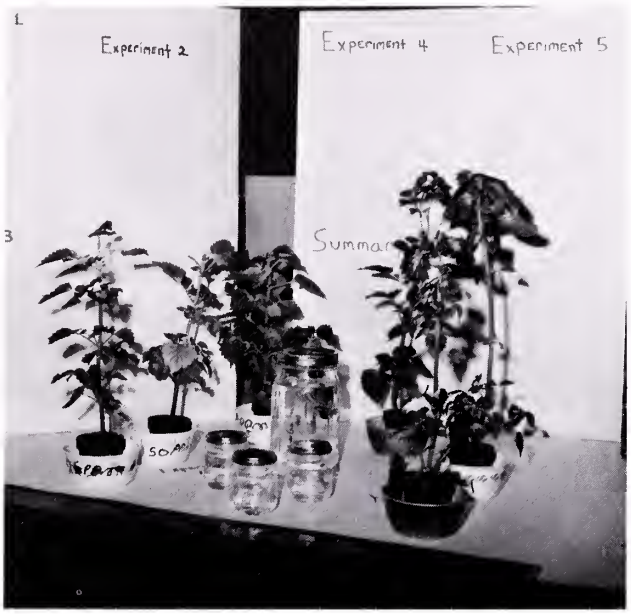
The editor, Carolyn Hall, looks through an annual for ideas.

Left: Miss Watts assists Iris Martin at a basketball concession stand.

Right: Plans are being made for the '71 yearbook.

Charlyn wonders why Jean, Cela, and Carolyn aren't as happy as she.

Science Fair Integral Part of School Program

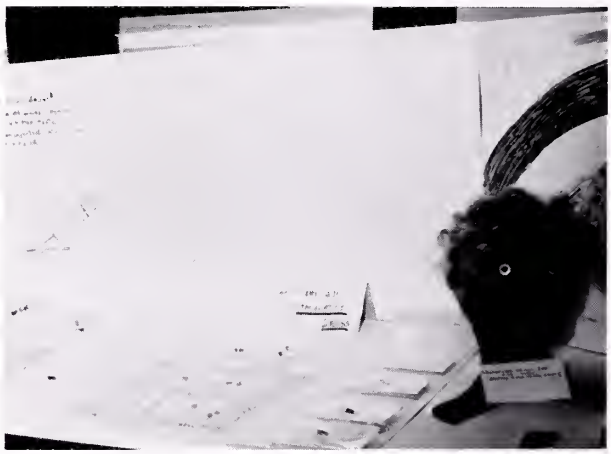


To arouse curiosity in scientific experimentation and to give an opportunity for students to share their interests, the science department annually sponsors a Science Fair. Mr. Sutherland, the head teacher-sponsor, works diligently with the staff, students, judges, and community in making arrangements for the fair.

This year a Math division was added under the direction of Mrs. Esther Lee and the other math instructors. This allowed more students to participate and gave a greater variety of exhibits.

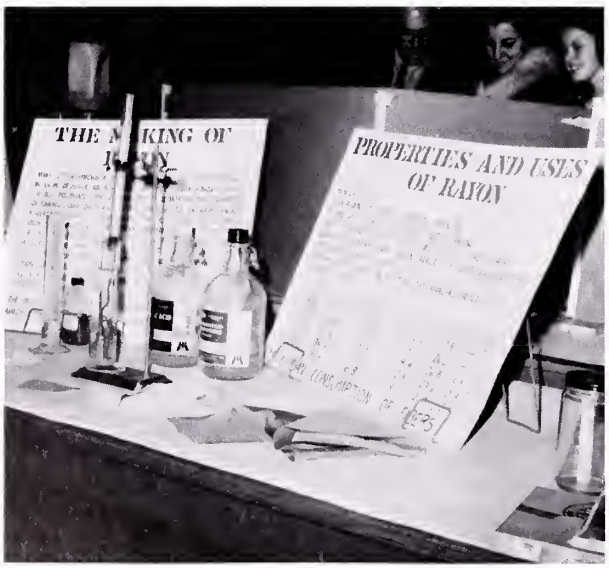
Following the evaluation by qualified judges from the Clifton Forge-Covington area, the winners were announced. The fair was open to the public on both Friday evening and Saturday morning. The first place winners' projects were entered in the Regional Fair at Roanoke College in April.

Above: Plant experiments are very popular in the biological division.

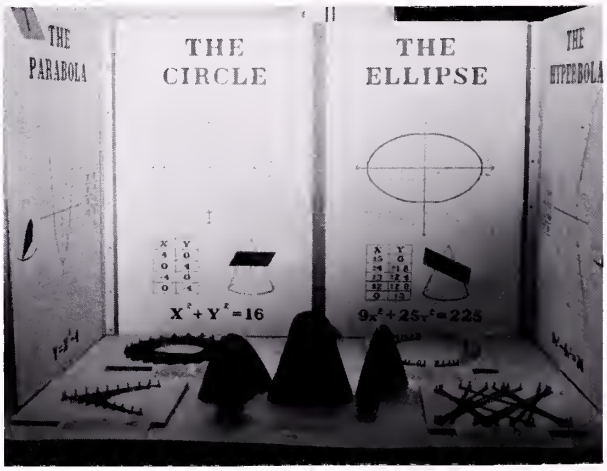


Right: A number of projects pertained to the study of drugs.

Below: Holly Dunford and her parents view the exhibits.



Below: Bobbie Detwiler's winning math project.



"The Lottery" Presented in District Competition

Kneeling: Diane Kimberlin, Sally Finestone, Cindy Faidley, Debbie Jo Jenkins, Martha Jo Leech, Donna Myers. **Standing:** Mrs. Gantt, Steve Carter, Ed Campbell, Jean Tucker, Carolyn Hall, Margaret Warren, Kathy Whitmer, Maitland McCoy, Kevin Davis. **Ladder** (clockwise): Gerry Morehead, Bob Meyer, Doug Finestone, Tommy Slusser, Mike Carter.

The Players

Tommy	Bob Meyer
Dickie	Tommy Slusser
Granny Martin	Margaret Warren
Delacroix	Kevin Davis
Hutchison	Mike Carter
Mrs. Dunbar	Martha Jo Leech
Mrs. Watson	Donna Myers
Miss Bessom	Maitland McCoy
Jane Wilkins	Jean Tucker
Old Man Warner	Ed Campbell
Belva Summers	Debbie Jo Jenkins
Joe Summers	Doug Finestone
Tessie Hutchison	Diane Kimberlin
Little Girl	Sally Finestone
Davy	Gerry Morehead
Villagers	Steve Carter
	Cindy Faidley
	Kathy Whitmer
	Sally Finestone
Prompter	Carolyn Hall
Director	Mrs. Pat Gantt

The cast in action.

Joe (Doug Finestone) checks to see that everyone is present.

Promising Future for Honored Students

Valedictorian, Vicky Heacock; Salutatorian, Doug Finestone.

Betty Crocker Homemaker Award Winner, Sherry Peters.

Diane Kimberlin—Arion Award, D.A.R. Good Citizen Award.

All-State Wrestlers—Winky Paxton, Larry White, Steve Albright.

M.G.A. Page, Bobbie Detwiler; Staff Assistant, Carolyn Hall; Representatives, Bill Wilcher, Patty Montgomery, Elaine Adams.

Top Ten Seniors: Vicky Heacock, Doug Finestone, Susan Stinespring, Carolyn Hall, Susan Layne, Donna Myers, Patty Montgomery, Tim Fields, Martha Jo Leech, Kenny Myers.

David Hickenbotham, All-American Football Team.

Nancy Rankin, Paula Craft—Girls' State; Jay Easter, Steve Backels—Boys' State.

Ricky Hailes, District Forensics Winner.

Doug Finestone, National Merit Scholarship Letter of Commendation.

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

First row: Susan Stinespring, Donna Mays, Martha Jo Leech, Bruce Burks, Jane Morgan, Helen Claire Carter, Colleen Calhoun. **Second row:** Cyn Brown, Jean Tucker, Donna Myers, Diane Kimberlin, Carolyn Hall, Doug Finestone, Cela Nicely, Mrs. Griggs, Tim Fields, Carol Sinar, Gary Haynes, Ricky Hailes.

March 26, 1971

8:00 P.M.

Clifton Forge High School Auditorium

"OFF THE TRACK"

Presented by **The Senior Class**

Cast of Characters
(in order of appearance)

Mr. John Morgan . . . . . Ricardo Hailes
Silas Dobbins . . . . . Gary Haynes
Flickie Nelson . . . . . Donna Mays
Betty Phillips . . . . . Martha Jo Leech
Joan Parker . . . . . Jane Morgan
Ellen Smith . . . . . Susan Stinespring
Alice Gates . . . . . Helen Claire Carter
Pat McCarthy . . . . . Colleen Calhoun
Mrs. Guarino . . . . . Donna Myers
Antonia Guarino . . . . . Diane Kimberlin
Maria Guarino . . . . . Jean Tucker
Bill Lindsay . . . . . Bruce Burks
Mr. Oscar Pozenby . . . . . Tim Fields
Miss Pidgie McDougal . . . . . Cela Nicely
Willie Woodson . . . . . Doug Finestone
Evalina Bumpass . . . . . Carolyn Hall
Mrs. Reginald Vanderventer . . . . . Carol Sinar

Prompter . . . . . Cyn Brown
Director . . . . . Mrs. Mary Ellen Griggs

Senior Class Presents "Off the Track"

Deborah Hughes gives Tim Fields a "Mr. Pozenby" hairdo.

Miss Pidgie (Cela Nicely) croons to her "Tweety-Tweet."

Evaline Bumpass (Carolyn Hall) sleeps serenely in the loving arms of her fiance, Willie Woodson (Doug Finestone).

Senior class president Darlene Humphries presents a corsage to the director, Mrs. Griggs.

The wishing well in the center of the dance floor added to the beauty of the scenery.

"A Midsummer Night's Dream"

May 22, 1971 proved to be truly what the theme of the Junior-Senior Prom predicted, "A Midsummer Night's Dream." For the Juniors it was a dream come true after much laboring into the wee hours of morning, and for the Seniors it represented a dream of a bright and beautiful future. Expertly painted murals of trees, flowers, and elves created a truly beautiful background. Carrying out the theme of a whispering, calm summer night was the combination of a love seat, wishing well, and rolling brook. Providing the musical atmosphere for this beautiful summer night was The Galaxies of Lynchburg. Further enhancement of the evening was the appearance of the serving girls frolicing around the punch bowl in their mystical fairy attires. The Juniors' long hours of laboring were well rewarded.

Couples walk into a "dream come true."

These juniors illustrate the hard work that goes into getting the scenery ready.

Couples enjoy refreshments during a break.

The Serving Girls Left to right: Tuck Crabill, Joan Chaplin, Donna Conner, Oretha Brown, Dianne Back, Janice Stinnett, Sue Roalf, Pat Dowdy.

Couples dance to the music of The Galaxies.

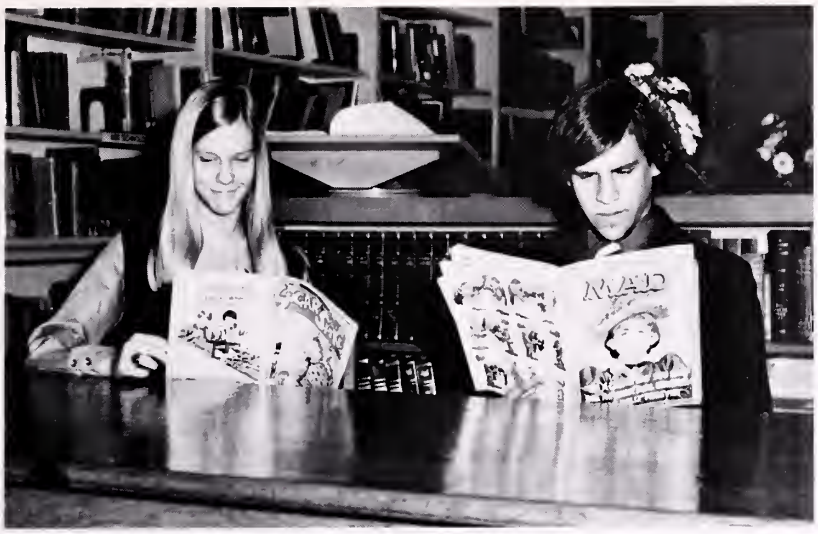
Super Seniors

Most Talented — Joey Johnson and Carolyn Hall.

Wittiest — Danny Stinespring and Susan Layne.

Best Looking — Lee Crabill and Cindy Coffman.

Most Athletic — David Hickenbotham and Carol Sinar.



Most Likely to Succeed — Vicky Heacock and Doug Finestone

Most School-Spirited — Jane Morgan and Bruce Burks

Best All Around — Diane Kimberlin and Bruce Wood

Friendliest — Steve Carter and Patty Montgomery

Class members enjoy their turkey dinner.

Seniors Toast to Long Life, Happiness

On May 14 at 6:30 p.m., the 1971 graduating class of Clifton Forge High School held the annual Senior banquet in the unique, rustic atmosphere at Woodcliff Barn. Darlene Humphries, class president, served as mistress of ceremonies. Mr. Wolfenbarger, principal, gave the invocation.

Toasts for a long life and happiness were given by Danny Jenkins to the girls, Cindy Coffman to the boys, and Larry White to the faculty. Entertainment was presented by the Senior chorus, a musical group composed of class members. There was also informal singing in which everyone participated. Miss Gay McGuire and Carolyn Hall were the accompanists.

Most all of the seniors and faculty members enjoyed the festivities. Bringing back memories of years of English, literature, and book reports was the presence of the special guest, Miss Margaret Van Horn, who retired from the teaching staff last year. The evening concluded with much fun and gaiety being shared by all.

Pam Black, Patricia Eubanks, and Jane Morgan wait to be served.

Why did you hide your face, Harvey?

New Market Site of Senior Trip

On May 27, 1971, the Seniors of Clifton Forge High School boarded the buses bound for New Market, Virginia. Amid much noise and singing, the Seniors finally reached their destination. First on the agenda was a very informative talk and tour of New Market, the battlefield of a War Between the States victory for the South. The actual site of the battle and antique relics were viewed after two historic films of the War Era.

Journeying on to the second event of the day, starving Seniors made their way to the Endless Caverns and southern fried chicken. After lunch the Seniors split up into two groups and proceeded on the two mile journey through the caverns, viewing the beautiful stalactites and stalagmites.

At the end of a fun-filled day, a group of tired Seniors mounted the steps of the buses on their way home. But there was still some spark of life in the eyes of some Senior girls as they viewed their handsome bus driver. A truly educational, but fun-filled day was enjoyed by all.

Not awake yet? It's only 7:00 a.m.!

Above: The class at New Market museum.

Below: Look at that scenery!

The chaperones (and some students), doing what they enjoy most—eating!

A grand entrance.

A gigantic candy stick for Mr. Strong.

Upper left: Darlene Humphries, president, presides.

Upper right: The Senior Chorus presents a special number.

Left: The sponsors, Mrs. Griggs, Miss Fraley, and Mrs. Clift, receive gifts from the class.

Right: Mr. Bilger directs the music.

The Seniors at Class Night.

Night of White Lace and Promises

Welcome . . . . . Darlene Humphries, Class President

Song . . . . . "Turn Around," By the Class

Class History . . . . . Patty Montgomery and Bob Meyer

Song . . . . . "The Age of Aquarius," By the Class

Class Poem . . . . . Shirley VanNess

Song . . . . . "People," By the Class

Presentation of Gifts . . . . . Cindy Coffman, Danny Jenkins, Cyn Brown, Helen Claire Carter, Susan Layne, Larry White, Susan Stinespring, and Donna Myers; Genelda Wallace and Greg Huffman, Pages.

Class Prophecy . . . . . Diane Kimberlin and Paul Clark

Special Numbers . . . . . Senior Chorus

Last Will and Testament . . . . . Cela Nicely and Bruce Burks

Song . . . . . "Exodus," By the Class

Farewell . . . . . Darlene Humphries

Mr. Larry Bilger, Director of Music
Miss Elaine Adams and Miss Margaret Warren, Accompanists

Patty and Bob read the history.

Shirley, a poet laureate?

Diane and Paul prophesy . . .

Challenges Come Our Way

Rev. Hailes addresses the Seniors.

Processional . . . . . "God of Grace and God of Glory"

Invocation

Hymn . . . . . ."Lead On, O King Eternal"

Scripture Reading

Anthem . . . . . ."Let There Be Peace"
Chorus from the Class of 1971

Prayer

Sermon . . . . . The Reverend Raymond A. Hailes, Sr.
First Baptist Church

Hymn . . . . . "Faith of Our Fathers Living Still"

Benediction

Recessional . . . . . ."O, Zion Haste"

Presiding: The Reverend Norman H. Wasson
First Christian Church

Director of Music: Mr. Larry R. Bilger

Accompanists: Miss Elaine Adams and
Miss Margaret Warren

Margaret and Elaine provide the accompaniment.

Seated: Rev. Wasson.
The Senior Chorus:
Jane Morgan
Paula Dobbs
Louise Lewis
Donna Mays
Carolyn Hall
David Hickenbotham
Sherry Peters
Terry Hall
Carol Sinar
Jerry Hall
Wanda Hughes
Ricky Hailes
Bruce Burks

So Many Roads to Choose

Processional . . . . . "Pomp and Circumstance"

Invocation . . . . . .The Reverend J. Harris Stephens
Clifton Forge Presbyterian Church

Song . . . . . "Graduation Day," By the Class

Salutatorian . . . . . ."Our Turn"
Doug Finestone

Song . . . . . "Bridge Over Troubled Water," By the Class

Awarding of Prizes . . . . . Mr. Sam B. Wolfenbarger
Principal

Awarding of Diplomas . . . . . Mr. Sam B. Wolfenbarger
Principal
and Mr. Edward D. Strong
Assistant Principal

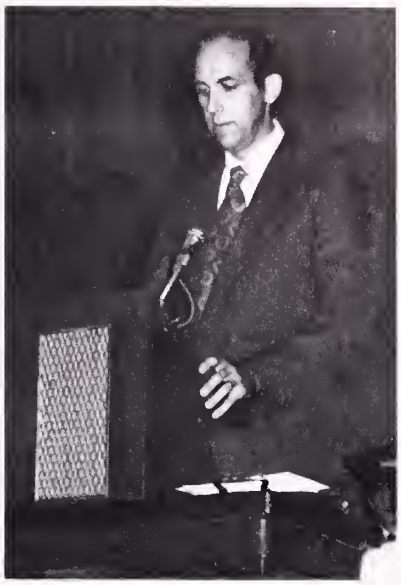
Gift to the School . . . . . Wayne Wallace

Valedictorian . . . . . ."The Silent Majority"
Vicky Heacock

Song . . . . . "Alma Mater," By the Class

Recessional . . . . . "Pomp and Circumstance"

Mr. Larry Bilger, Director of Music
Miss Elaine Adams and Miss Margaret Warren, Accompanists



Mr. Wolfenbarger prepares to present the awards.

Rev. Stephens gives the Invocation.

All eyes are on the Seniors as they march in.

Ricky Hailes is recognized as District Forensics winner.

Above and below: Carol Sinar and Steve Carter receive the "I Dare You" award.

Left: Jerry Hall receives his diploma.

Doug Finestone gives his salutatory address as Vicky Heacock, the Valedictorian, listens.

Right: How sweet it is!

With tassels turned, the last chords of the "Alma Mater" are sung.

Make that a firm handshake, Paula.

Keep your eye on that diploma!

Smile, Greg. It's almost over.

Jane is elated over her award.

It's all over now!

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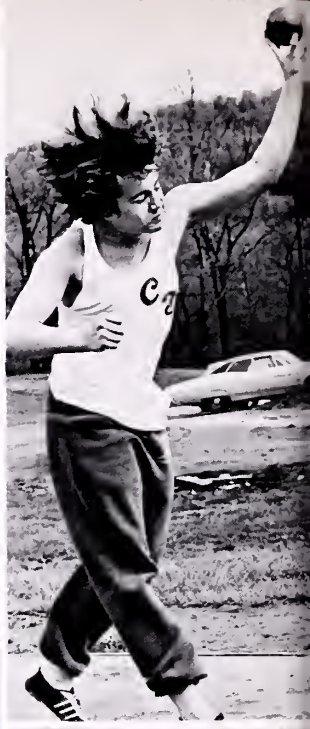

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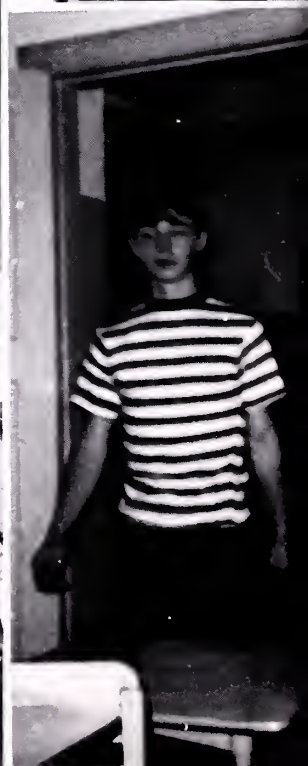

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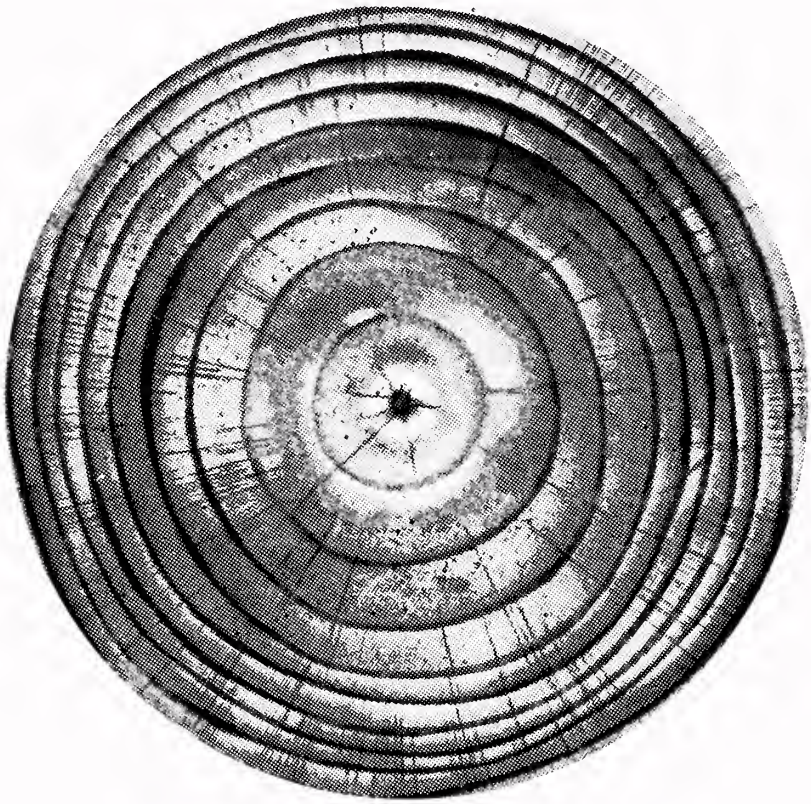

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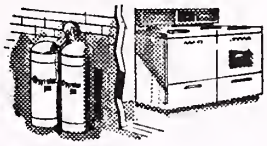

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